

# THE DEFENDER

## M A G A Z I N E

### HAPPY PALESTINE THRESHERS



ANCIENT methods still prevail on most Palestine farms. These sun-bronzed men of the Plain of Acre, hardened from long weeks of toil in the harvest and on the threshing floor, are shown in a happy mood as their mounds of golden wheat on the hard, dry ground are being sifted from stones and chaff and otherwise being made ready for the women to grind into flour on the hand-mills. The man at the left, in the above picture, is operating a hand-sieve to separate pebbles from the wheat in which he stands ankle-deep.

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# ARMAGEDDON

By Gerald B. Winrod

**THE GREATEST** battle of the ages is yet to be fought. It will be a clash between the armies of Christ and Antichrist—*Armageddon*.

Out of the rapidly developing chaos of the Nations there will evolve an international dictatorship over which one man, the Antichrist, will preside. All of the Nations will be huddled together in fear under the lash of this demon-possessed Monster.

## A Demonized Personality

The world has never yet seen such a man as Antichrist will be! Descriptive powers fail utterly in seeking to portray his true likeness. Even the prophets could not find words to convey their meaning when they discussed his character.

He is called "the Man of Sin," "the Son of Perdition" and "the Beast." Nimrod of the ancient Babel-builders is perhaps the first type of the Antichrist to be found in the Scriptures.

His personality will be completely under the play of super-human, occult, demon forces. His mastery over the laws of nature will astound the world. "And they worshipped the Beast, saying, who is like unto the Beast? Who is able to make war with him?"

The human family will be dumb-founded because of the miracles he will perform. "And he doeth great wonders, so that he maketh fire come down from heaven on earth in the sight of men."

Satan, who is god of the present world system, will give "power," "seat" and "authority" to the Beast. According to the fourteenth chapter of Isaiah, the collapse of Satan's angelic kingdom on this planet prior to the creation of Adam and Eve, resulted from open and defiant opposition to the government of God.

## Perverted Free Moral Agency

The unfallen Lucifer deliberately put his free-moral-agency against God. "For thou hast said in thine heart, *I WILL* ascend into heaven, *I WILL* exalt my throne above the stars of God: *I WILL* sit also upon the mount of the congregation, in the sides of the north: *I WILL* ascend above the heights of the clouds; *I WILL* be like the Most High."

"O Lucifer, son of the morning! How art thou fallen!"

Antichrist will be under the absolute power of Satan. In fact, he may well be called *the Devil's Christ*. As Satan defied God, thus bringing about the smash-up of the original earth when it "became without form and void," so also, the Antichrist will think to make war against Jesus Christ at the time of the second coming.

Satan desired to be worshipped and thought to gain permanent control of the universe. Antichrist will demand worship and will think to gain permanent control of this planet. Satan or-

ganized his armies against God. Antichrist will organize his armies against the Son of God.

## The Counterfeit Resurrection

Prior to Armageddon, the Beast will arise from the dead, Satan incarnate, as truly as Jesus Christ came out of the tomb God incarnate.

It may seem fantastic now to think of this colossal personage rising from the dead, but exactly such a strange event will take place. "And his deadly wound was healed: and all the world wondered after the Beast."

Some Bible teachers have held to the mistaken idea that the coming of the Beast back to life from the dead, mentioned in the thirteenth chapter of Revelation, referred to the resurrection of the old Roman Empire. This is a mistake for the reason that in the nineteenth chapter of Revelation, the same Beast is described as a personality when he is later cast into the lake of fire. If this Beast is a person in the nineteenth chapter, obviously he is also a person—not an empire—in the thirteenth chapter.

## Armageddon's War Machines

Super-human methods of warfare, unlike anything used in any previous struggle, will be used at the coming Armageddon. Strange electrical devices, death-rays, powerful gases, terrible chemicals, and infernal air machines not yet invented, will be produced by the demonized inventive genius of the Antichrist.

Science is already penetrating into the hidden realms, the secret occult sources, from which the future destructive methods of warfare will be created. Daniel says: "In his estate he shall honor a *god of forces*."

One day last month, Nicola Tesla of New York, the noted electrical wizard, caused the world to gasp when he called in newspaper reporters on his

seventy-eighth birthday to tell them about a new super-death-ray which he had invented. It consists of an invisible lightning streak of *fifty million volts*, which he can produce, capable of destroying a whole army without leaving a trace.

The inventor described in detail the terrible power of his new death beam. He said it could:

Cause an army of 1,000,000 men to drop dead.

Bring down a fleet of 10,000 airplanes at a distance of 250 miles.

Surround an entire country with an impenetrable, invisible wall, making it safe against enemy attack.

Arm battleships with a new weapon of defense against hostile airplanes and enable them to sweep the seas.

Production of the ray, Tesla said, involves four new processes. The first is a method of producing rays in free air, obviating the high vacuum previously necessary; the second is a method of producing "a very great electrical force;" the third, a method of amplifying this force; and the fourth, a new method of producing a tremendous electrical repelling force.

Tesla said he would outline details of his terrible invention before scientific bodies in the near future.

## A Living Image

Beyond doubt, science is already invading the sphere where the Antichrist will work as a master. By miraculous processes, life will be given to the great image which will be put up in the city of Jerusalem.

"And he had power to give life unto the image of the Beast, that the image of the Beast should both speak, and cause that as many as would not worship the image of the Beast should be killed."

In those days, science will exhaust itself in searching out methods for burning the human family into ashes. Jesus said: "For then shall be great tribulation, such as was not since the beginning of the world to this time, nor ever shall be. And except those days should be shortened, there should be no flesh saved; but for the elect's sake those days shall be shortened."

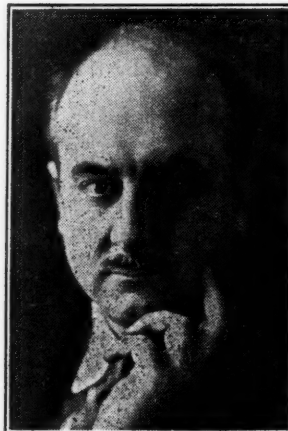
John predicts: "And in those days shall men seek death, and shall not find it; and shall desire to die, and death shall flee from them."

## The Battle

According to Revelation 13:5, the actual "tribulation" will last forty-two months, three and one-half years and end with Armageddon. Antichrist will have his demonized armies and their super-human equipment stationed at the seat of his government—Palestine. There will be 200 million soldiers in the encampment.

Revelation 9:16, "And the numbers of the army of the horsemen were two hundred thousand thousand; and I

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Discusses the world's greatest battle.

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Defenders' Song, "Faith of Our Fathers"

Defenders' Motto, "Back to the Bible"

## The Coming Jewish Antichrist

By Gerald B. Winrod

THE LATTER part of the eleventh chapter of Zechariah refers to the judgment that shall be visited upon the world's last Dictator, the Beast, who will be reigning over the human family at the time of the second coming of Christ. The 17th verse obviously refers to the position that the Beast will occupy as the false Messiah of the Jews—"Woe to the *Idol Shepherd* that leaveth the flock!"

Daniel says concerning the Antichrist: "Neither shall he regard the God of his fathers." This reference to "his fathers" is taken by practically all students of Bible prophecy to refer to Israel.

Speaking to the Jews of His day, Jesus said: "I am come in my Father's name, and ye receive me not: if *Another* shall come in his own name, him ye will receive." This can mean but one thing, namely, that Antichrist will be foisted upon the world as the Jewish Messiah.

In describing the events that will be taking place at the very climax of the age, Jesus said: "When ye therefore shall see the Abomination of Desolation, spoken of by Daniel the prophet, stand in the holy place. . . then shall be great tribulation, such as was not since the beginning of the world." In this passage, the Abomination in the "holy place" refers to the presence of Antichrist in the Jewish temple at Jerusalem, installed as Israel's false Messiah and the world's Dictator.

For nearly a century, there has been almost universal agreement among students of Bible prophecy that Antichrist will appear in the darkest night of Israel's apostasy and be presented to the human family as their Messiah. This great prophetic fact presupposes a universal Jewish World State. Today, in Communism, which is of Jewish origin and Jewish controlled, we see a Godless program of world conquest that has in it many of the inherent properties of the last anti-God, anti-Christ dictatorship which will govern the nations for a short time prior to the end.

### Good Jews Should Take Heed

Let international Jewish bankers and Communists who are trying to tear down all nations so that they can set up a universal empire with headquarters in Moscow, over which their Red Emperor can preside—I say let such men give particular attention to the prophetic witness contained in these words, and know that they are proceeding along prophetic lines, before

they go further. Let it be hoped that some may even respond to this warning, disavow their deeds, turn back from the error of their ways, and be snatched, as it were, "brands from the burning."

Let Orthodox Jews and "Hebrew Christians", who read these lines not think that I write as their enemy. Someday they will know that Winrod was their friend. My true purpose is to warn them against the evil that is soon to befall their race. My hope is, thereby, to prompt many to take heed, "flee from the wrath to come" by seeking the bosom of the Christ, the true Messiah, so that they will not be partakers of the judgment which will eventually fall upon Antichrist and the international Jewish apostates who clothe him with power.

Israel's apostate program of world dominion will not last long because "in the midst" of the last seven years of the age, (Daniel's 70th Week) their "Idol Shepherd" will turn against them and Zechariah 13:8-9 is taken by many to mean that two-thirds of all Jews living at that time will be exterminated. It will be the bloodiest pogrom in the history of the world—when the Beast goes on his last demonic rampage against the Jewish people and others who may at that late date bear the label of Christianity.

But even through all of this horrible nightmare, there will be a "remnant" of Jews who will remain faithful to the end. This "remnant" is taken to refer to the little nucleus of "Hebrew Christians" now scattered throughout the earth. *One thing that has enabled me to keep calm through the mouthings of converted Jewish preachers and evangelists, against me, during the last few months, is the fact that I know something of the suffering that awaits them*

### "Are These Things So?"

Page 18 contains a review of one of the most remarkable books ever announced in Defender columns. Every Reader is urged to inform himself concerning this epoch-making volume, "Are These Things So?" from the pen of E. N. Sanctuary, a Colonel in the United States Army. Every true American, every Bible student, every student of Prophecy, should be conversant with its startling contents. —Editor

*under the future ferocious attitude of the Beast. They may not believe me when I say it, but God knows that I have only love in my heart for them. Otherwise, they would have long since been dealt with for their false statements, and the "stigmatizing" campaign which they deliberately launched against me last year.*

It is not anti-Semitism to explain the full-orbed position that Israel occupies in Bible prophecy. Nor is it inconsistent to oppose Jewish Communism "to the last ditch" and thus help to keep the North American Continent immune, as far as possible, to the Antichrist curse that has already come upon Russia and other parts of the world.

However, it is utterly silly for "Hebrew Christians" to condone and defend the brutal tyrants of their race simply because they are Jews, as some converted Jews are doing at the present time. It is equally ridiculous for Orthodox Jews to do the same thing. Under the coming Antichrist or even under Communism in its present form, neither "Hebrew Christians" or Orthodox Jews can hope to gain permanent favor.

### Jewish Appeal to Mussolini

A most significant editorial appeared recently on the front page of a Hebrew newspaper published in the city of Tel-Aviv, Palestine. It was an appeal written by an educated Jew to Mussolini, requesting the Roman Superman to intervene in behalf of the Jews in the solution of their local problems in Palestine with the Arabs. In the light of prophecy, the language of this letter is indeed interesting.

The editorial is as follows:

"Your Excellency, . . .

"From the moment in which you consented to receive me for an interview at the first time in Rome, ten years ago, I felt that in you a Saviour has risen for all persecuted people.

"Greece is obliged to you for her peace with Turkey.

"Bulgaria is obliged to you for its friendship with Yugo-Slavia and Rumania.

"Albania and King Zog at the uppermost is obliged to you for its liberty and independence.

"Egypt has received His Majesty Victor Emanuel the Third with incomparable enthusiasm, and when his son, the Crown Prince Umberto, arrived to

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# ITEMS *of* INTEREST to DEFENDERS

**"THE FRUIT OF MODERN-ISM"** is the title of a pamphlet which goes back into history and shows that what we call "Modernism" today is the outgrowth of a deliberate anti-God plot which was perpetrated in centuries past. It discusses Adam Weishaupt who founded the terrible "Illuminati" secret order in 1776, shows how Nesta Webster and others have exposed this "conspiracy" and explains the subterranean origin of Communism. Every Reader should be armed with the information this booklet contains. Price 10 cents; order from *The Defender*.

MANY STUDENTS of Bible prophecy believe that somehow, according to the 38th chapter of Ezekiel, "Gog" and "Gomer" (Russia and Germany) will enter into an alliance in the end-time of this age. That Germany will either go Red, or Russia will turn Nazi, through an interior revolution. Arthur Brisbane's recent comment was therefore interesting: "If Hitler should collapse, what would come afterward? Would extreme 'Red Radicalism' come to the front and take control? Would there be that union of Russia and Germany that many Germans advocated immediately after signing the Versailles Treaty? It is interesting to read that today Russia is lending money to Germany indirectly by buying German exchange for gold, strengthening the mark. In what position would England, France, Italy and the rest of the Western Europe be, if Germany and Russia should unite, Germany supplying the scientific knowledge, the chemical skill, the perfected industrial equipment, and Russia the power of will that has successfully defied the civilized world while putting through with marvelous success a plan that, in the beginning, was universally derided?"

FOR MONTHS the report had been bandied about that Hitler's government in Germany was soon to collapse. Communists and international Jewish bankers were particularly vocal on the subject. Then came the sudden merciless "blood purge" early in July in which 77 people were put to death, including some of the most prominent leaders of Germany. Next came Hitler's dramatic speech, to which the world listened, wherein he defended his ruthless action. He charges that certain "German traitors" had been planning secretly with the French Ambassador for his arrest and overthrow as a "second revolution" in which his reign would come to an end. This would have resulted in civil war, taking the lives of thousands, he said. He defied the Jews of the world to proceed with their international boycott and said: "our inventors and chemists can find ways of making ourselves independent of imports."

SPEAKING in Waterloo, Iowa last month on his last expedition of NRA ballyhoo, Hugh ("Sock-on-the-nose") Johnson uttered a slur against the German people which the German Embassy at Washington resented. Protesting directly to the State Department against Johnson's comparison of Germans with "half-drunken savages", German officials were told by Secretary Hull that Johnson "was speaking as an individual and not for the Administration." When informed that Hull had apologized for the outburst, Johnson stormed: "I meant everything I said."

NO OBSERVER denies that Fascism is growing rapidly in England under the leadership of Sir Oswald Mosley who stands at the head of an organization of "Black Shirts". He is a dynamic orator who knows how to inflame the passions of the masses. At first, British statesmen were inclined to laugh at Mosley, but now they are beginning to take him seriously. So much so that Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald felt it was necessary for him to make a speech on the subject last month. He said: "This country will accept no dictatorship. Great Britain wants no tampering with the liberties of a democracy."

HENRY P. FLETCHER, who has served as Ambassador to Mexico, Belgium, and Italy says: "I have lived in countries of dictatorships and I know whereof I speak. The transition under a dictatorship from a free to a muzzled press and the suppression of free speech is so easy, you don't realize it until you wake up some morning and find that the morning paper is not on the doorstep."

AS IF reviving the ancient rationalistic and atheistic French society called "Satanism," which existed back in the twelfth century, three mysterious people who sign their names "Judges of Hell" have created a wave of terror in France during the last month by mailing bombs to prominent citizens. Several of the infernal machines have exploded, resulting in injuries and deaths.

EVEN "Chinese Jews" are now returning to Palestine. In their native environment, in the interior of China, these strange people are called "Tasu Kin-Kedon." They were first discovered in the middle of the seventeenth century by Father Ricci, a Catholic priest. But it was not until 1866 that Dr. W. A. Martin made the first genuine study of them. He found a colony of them living in a wild region in the Honan Province at a place called Kai-fung-Foo, about four hundred families. Although they had drifted a long ways from Israel's true position and had taken on many of the ways of the heathen around them, yet rudiments of their race and religion were in evidence.

THE American people have never been as heavily in debt as they are to-

day. Although Roosevelt promised *economy in government* before his election, he ran \$3,989,496,035.42 behind the first twelve months he was in office. His borrowings of international bankers has loaded the biggest tax-burden upon the people that they have ever been compelled to carry. The public debt is now the largest in history—\$27,053,141,414.48. In other words, he is trying to *borrow the Country rich!* How long before the international bankers will try to cross the economic wires again, precipitate a revolution, foreclose on the government, take the Nation over, and set up a dictatorship. Obviously, the government is already so far in debt that it can never hope to redeem its obligations.

CONTEMPLATING the staggering tax-debt that his Cousin has placed upon the Country, Theodore Roosevelt Jr., said in an address last month in Chicago, that the young people of today are the ones who will be crushed under the burden tomorrow. He said: "The young people of today are going to pay the Piper for the follies of the present Democratic Administration. Never have the times been graver in this Country. We see traditional liberties violated, cast aside, discarded. The government at Washington has set on foot a colossal scheme of regimentation for controlling our lives that endangers our government."

DID THE FACES of certain reformers get red when they were told that President Roosevelt was taking some of the most objectionable films, with him on his vacation voyage, against which they were protesting! No less than five of the immoral films appearing on the "black list" were already on the ship Houston when the religious leaders were condemning them at a public meeting in New York.

IT SEEMS strangely paradoxical that the Roman Catholic Church should be leading in the fight against the filthy Jewish motion picture industry. Rome has never been particularly famous for moral reform efforts. Prohibition had no greater foe than the Roman Church. But that she is getting results in her attacks against vile movies no one can deny.

MR. DEETS PICKETT, the noted Prohibition leader of Washington, virtually says: "I told you so" in a recent statement which he issued for the press. The four major predictions of the Drys are coming to pass: (1) saloon evils have reappeared, (2) It is proving impossible to protect Dry sections of the Nation from the Wet inflow of unlawful liquors coming from Wet territories, (3) Automobile accidents are increasing all over the United States due to drunken drivers, and (4) Tax receipts from liquor trade are proving thoroughly disappointing.



## A Study of Certain Subversive Influences In School, Church and State

By Col. E. N. Sanctuary, 156 Fifth Ave., New York City.

THREE years have passed since the book *Tainted Contacts* appeared wherein I exposed certain alignments of officials of the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America. When that book was published it became the target for an attack which has continued to this day.

It is refreshing, however, to note that the virility of the aforesaid attack is about as effective as the defense which was made by that august body which, we are credibly informed, has had to revise its budget several times in recent years and that each revision has been downward. We hope this simple statement may encourage others to challenge the *ipse dixit* of this Federal Council group who profess to speak for twenty-two million Protestants of this country.

Of late there have appeared many articles which reveal that the drift to the Left of the Federal Council of Churches is supported by many of the ultra-liberal religious groups. Without attempting to list them or their activities, a few are named to illustrate our point.

One writer has recently stated that of the first hundred and eight educational institutions founded in this country, one hundred and six of them were founded by Christian men and women for the purpose of propagating New Testament teaching. Looking over the list of women's colleges we find such as Bryn Mawr, Smith, Mount Holyoke, Vassar and others now far removed from the high ideals of their founders as touching Christian teaching.

Space forbids mentioning this condition to any extent. In the realm of theological schools we find such an institution as Union Theological Seminary of New York, two years ago permitting to be held within its walls a conference entitled: *GUIDING THE REVOLUTION*, and foremost on the program was none other than Norman Thomas whose drift to the Left has been such that a recent convention of the Socialist Party of New York State nearly repudiated his candidacy for a national office and this repudiation of this former Presbyterian divine was based on the recent decision of the convention of Socialists at Detroit which voted to use force and revolution in its efforts to acquire control of this country for the proletariat.

To this group of avowed pacifists, who have declared they would never support this Country in another war, but who would use every militant effort in their power to fight for what is now an unconstitutional act, we may add many individuals in Protestantism who have definitely aligned themselves with subversive forces.

A shining light in the seminary above referred to is the Rev. H. F. Ward, an associate of Bishop Wm. C. McConnell in the Methodist Federation of Social Service. This is none other than the Bishop shown in *Tainted Contacts* to be a supporter of that alien and un-American group known as the

*American Civil Liberties Union* which applies 80% of its activities in defending alien criminals who have violated the laws of this Country. The Secretary of the Social Service referred to is none other than the now notorious Winifred L. Chappell, whose candidate for the Presidency in 1932 was William Z. Foster, the Communist.

Miss Chappell, in the *Epworth Herald* for March 3, 1934, wrote a vicious article in defense of Socialism and opposing preparedness in which she said: "Stay out of jail—why thus separate yourself from the masses? Accept the draft, take the drill, go into the camps and onto the battlefield, or into the munition factories and transportation work—but sabotage war preparations and war. Be agitators for sabotage. Down tools when the order is to make and load munitions. Spoil war materials and machinery."

Of one thing this writer is certain and that is in the event of a major emergency, Uncle Sam will know where to place such a traitor for safekeeping.

In the realm of the church groups we also find that the recently merged Congregationalists and Christians, with large sections of the Methodists, have recorded themselves as adopting the Socialistic slogan: *PRODUCTION FOR USE AND NOT FOR PROFIT*, or in simple words, a decided swing away from what the individual is now guaranteed, under our Constitution or was, shall we say, until this present Administration came into power at Washington and set into operation a series of Socialistic experiments at the expense of this great commonwealth. Just one incident will suffice to prove this and that is the *Warren-gold experiment* which is admitted to be a flat failure, or not functioning over twenty per cent of what was promised to the dupes who expected to find the proverbial pot of gold at the end of the rainbow, even though millions of our citizenry have been mulcted from their rightful holdings. It has been remarked that Roosevelt had no more right to take your gold than your real estate.

We trust the reader will pardon us if we seem to depart from the subject of this article when we add to the following paragraph the following evidence in support of the charges therein contained.

Such a dependable paper as the *New York Times*—dependable, we say, except when giving to its readers the articles from that arch propagandist of the Bolsheviks, Walter Duranty—on July 5th, 1934, ran an article by Arthur Krock, entitled: *Three Men Stand out as President's Closest Counselors*. These men are spoken of as the "Three Musketeers" and are Bernard M. Baruch, Raymond Moley and Louis McHenry Howe. Of Mr. Baruch, the reader is referred to his testimony before the Senate committee after the late war when he is said to have stated that he exercised more power during that world conflagration than President Wilson. Lack of space prevents us from paying our respects to the other

two musketeers. Mr. Baruch is one of the world's most powerful Jews.

We do not believe that we would incur any illfeeling from Mr. Krock if we added to his list such names as Felix Frankfurter, another Jew, probable appointee to the United States Supreme Court unless an aroused America interposes its objections in more convincing form than did the American Bar Association over the nomination of the Jewish Justice Brandeis. The latter, and his wife are supporters of that notorious Communist school at Mena, Ark., known as Commonwealth College; Richberg, now acting President while the President is on a cruise; Tugwell, Ezekiel and two former members, Berle and Blanshard, once with the so-called *BRAIN TRUST*.

Of Blanshard, the *New York Evening Post*, when it was a real American newspaper, and before being operated as *The Evening Post*, reproduced part of his address in Philadelphia, April 15, 1932: "Having once captured the Government and shelved the Supreme Court" Blanshard said, "we Socialists would nationalize as many large industries as we could chew and as speedily as such mastication could be accomplished. We would do it peacefully if possible, and we would do it otherwise if necessary."

Here then, my fellow Americans is your challenge for the expected appointment of Frankfurter, characterized by President Theodore Roosevelt, in a letter to said Frankfurter of Dec. 19, 1917, as follows: "You are taking an attitude which seems to me to be fundamentally that of Trotsky and the other Bolshevik leaders of Russia; an attitude which may be fraught with mischief to this country." Will Americans allow such a man as Frankfurter to be appointed to a position on the

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### Mission Work in France Needs Your Help

Our work in France is the result of the withdrawal of a number of churches from the modernistic influence of the Board of Missions of the Northern Baptist Church. This happened more than ten years ago, and church after church has joined us—making possible more and more workers in the field. The last few years have brought greater opportunities, but also greater demands.

We are one of the very few associations of native churches outside of America which prefer to do without denominational aid because of a determination to hold fast to the true Gospel. We have very little expense in this country, so practically all of our contributions go into the mission work in France.

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## SUBVERSIVE INFLUENCES. From Page 5.

## Supreme Court?

Of Ezekiel we can only say that as an understudy of the regimentation system which turned Russia into a vast horde of slaves, he has shown his ability by having his ideas written into the Bankhead Bill which has collectivized the operations of two million cotton farmers of this once land of the free.

And now, the reader may properly inquire, from whence cometh this un-American and un-Constitutional thing which is throwing its baneful shadow athwart this fair land?

We have before us a copy of a document which describes an age-old Jewish plot, the original of which was found in Munich in 1929 but written by Adam Weishaupt in 1789. In it is set forth the devilish plans of the Jewish *Illuminati* and several thousand words of this are reproduced in our book *Are These Things So?* Most of European Masonry of one hundred and fifty years ago became *Illuminated* by being impregnated by the teachings of Weishaupt. They reached the zenith of their activities in the time of the French Revolution and might have succeeded further had not Napoleon risen to thwart their foul designs to decimate the population of France and to otherwise postpone their nefarious schemes against the church and civilization.

What Weishaupt attempted to do was deferred to a later date and that date was the series of abolitions proposed in 1848 by Karl Marx and Friedrich Engels, the latter being the brains of the Communist movement but, because he was a wealthy mill owner, left it with Marx to become the father of this debaser of humanity.

So vile were these objections of Weishaupt that Mirabeau coined a phrase for them as the *CODE OF HELL*. A chart in the book referred to, *Are These Things So?* gives the twelve things that it proposed to abolish. Some of these are, Religion, Patriotism, Family, Morality, Law and Private Property. The only country where this code has become effective is Soviet Russia to which privately, and aptly and artfully, guided American tourists are led around by a gang of cut throats whose hands are crimsoned with the stain of unceasing crime. These dupes then come back to this Country and tell a wide mouthed audience of the blessings of Sovietism for that, in the last analysis, is what the *BRAIN TRUSTERS* and *NEW DEALERS* would thrust upon the people of this great Country. Did space permit we could prove this by reproducing what these eminent guides and advisors of the Roosevelt Administration have said.

That there is often an intimate relationship between religion and education is axiomatic. The taint of modern education, which we have discussed in our book under the title *TERMITES IN EDUCATION*, has found its way into our political life as well as in religion.

As illustrating the vicious propaganda being sponsored by this group of termites we take the following from the News-Week of July 14, under caption "Sex Education: As Columbia, Outspoken Views are Voiced." Dr. Robert L. Dickinson, secretary of the National Committee on Maternal Health, scored doctors for being "tim-

id" in facing pre-marital problems. . . . He said pre-marital relations were increasing. In 1885 one out of five admitted such relations, in 1933, one out of two. Contenance before marriage is no proof of happiness afterward, said Dr. Lester W. Dearborn, of the Massachusetts Society for Social Hygiene. . . . "If my own son or daughter came to me for advice," he said, "I should not advise against pre-marital relations."

These termites in education can be traced to the pernicious activities of such organizations as *The League For Industrial Democracy*, many of whose members occupy prominent positions in Washington. That League has for its slogan: *PRODUCTION FOR USE AND NOT FOR PROFIT*. It is Socialistic throughout and we feel warranted in reproducing, in the light of the recent action of the Socialists at Detroit, what a famous American once said, and he was a real American: "*Socialism leads to Communism, and Communism leads straight to hell.*"

The *Moody Monthly* for July reproduces some startling words from one of the latest appointees to Brain Trust activities in Washington. This is Stuart Chase, a shining light of the aforesaid League for Industrial Democracy, who writes in his book *A New*

*Deal*: "We know that these speculations will be met by a superior smile of incredulity. The funny thing about it is that the groups are actually beginning to form. As yet they are scattered and amorphous; here a body of engineers, there a body of economic planners. Watch them. They will bear watching. If occasion arises, join them. They are what H. G. Wells has called the open conspiracy. **WHY SHOULD RUSSIA HAVE ALL THE FUN OF REMAKING THE WORLD?**"

In the light of the most tragic event that the citizens of any country have ever suffered at the hands of an alien race, (the Communist leaders who control Russia are aliens—they are apostate Jews) resulting in the deliberate extermination of at least fifteen million of its intelligentia, its kulaks and its nobility, this fly on the axle wheel of this Administration's chariot dares to speak of it as *FUN*. Well authenticated reports have already advised us that at least ten million more of these suffering people of Russia will be sacrificed to this modern Moloch during 1934. We grant it is *FUN* for those carrying out the edict of those who by ruthless decree expect to eventually exterminate all opposition to Communism!

## SISTER PERKINS GETS HER WISH

**F**OR the first time in the Nation's history, the United States Government was given a woman Cabinet member when the Roosevelt Administration came into power—"Madam Secretary" Perkins.

She presides over the Department of Labor. On the floor of Congress it has been said of her that she is "an old hand at dealing with international Jewish bankers." One of her first official acts was to disband the organization so carefully built up by her predecessor to protect organized labor against Communism.

It is reliably reported that the President has clothed her with more power than that possessed by any other Cabinet member. When he left for his extended ocean cruise, he placed the entire strike situation of the Country in her lap. He told the steel companies they would have to deal with her when they were faced with the most disastrous strike in the history of the industry. He announced that she was clothed with absolute power to repress him.

Some of the representatives sent out from her Department to deal with strikes and acts of mob violence, in different sections of the country, are known to be Communists who are taking sides with the radicals that are responsible for tearing the Nation's flesh by precipitating anarchy at the present time.

Since the first great demand of Communism is to destroy the Christian religion, the columns of a religious magazine such as *The Defender*, is the logical place to consider a serious matter of this kind.

In Cleveland, Ohio, Sister Perkins recently sought to deliberately encour-

age mob violence. Her public statement at that time was sufficient to warrant her immediate removal from the Cabinet. Here is what she said:

**"THERE ISN'T A FIRST CLASS STRIKE IN AMERICA. WHY DO THE AMERICAN PEOPLE GET THE 'JITTERS' WHEN THE WORD 'STRIKE' IS MENTIONED? IS IT SO TERRIBLE THAT PEOPLE LEAVE WORK AND REFUSE TO COME BACK UNTIL THEY GET SOMETHING THEY WANT?"**

With the awful tension that existed in the Country when this statement was made, she was in position to know that it would be like a flame to ignite the fuse that would bring on a conflagration.

It worked! The American people were quick to get the *jitters*! Blood began flowing instantly in the streets of Toledo, Cleveland, Minneapolis, San Francisco and many other cities. The Communists began digging deeper into the labor unions of the Country than ever before. Acts of violence suddenly broke out everywhere. The United States soon discovered that it was over a seething volcano and that strikes were evidently being regulated from Washington.

Sister Perkins was not approved by the American Federation of Labor prior to her appointment. The leaders at the top of the Union have always sought to keep the organization immune to Communism and radicalism. But the Roosevelt policies have opened the way for the Reds to do incomparable harm by boring into various local Union organizations as has been the case in San Francisco.

Arthur Brisbane says: "It is no secret that provisions of NRA, ordering

*all employers to negotiate with workers' representatives, have helped to increase labor unrest."*

The ring-leader of the awful situation which came to exist in San Francisco, almost over night, is a foreigner by the name of Harry Bridges. He is described as being "dynamic, alert, lean, with a prominent nose and sharp eyes—a man of mystery—who has a personal bodyguard of 300 supporters; he is the most powerful factor in the San Francisco situation."

A United Press report says: "Bridges is distinctly of the Left wing of the Labor movement. Plainly, he is versed in the philosophy and theory and tactics of the Third Internationale. His qualities of leadership perhaps are his greatest asset. He can rally men around him and by public speaking inflame their emotions. He has magnetism in his oratory. He always is aggressive. He speaks often with the fire of a zealot. He is an expert agitator."

Men of this type are moving steadily ahead in the Labor Unions of the Country. The signs are ominous. Their policies do not represent the attitude of leaders like Mr. William Green, at the top of the American Federation of Labor, but that such men can do great harm is shown by the serious situation they have been able to create by concentrating their efforts on the Pacific coast. *Their energies are of course directed from Moscow.*

The sane attitude of the American Federation of Labor regarding Communism is reflected in a statement just published by Mr. Matthew Woll, the third Vice President of the organization.

Mr. Woll vigorously condemns Communism in all its forms, and says: "The Third Internationale of Moscow demands and gets implicit obedience from the Communist Party of America."

His timely article concludes with the following statement of facts:

"The Communist Party of the United States, headed by Earl Browder, and the Trade Union Unity League, American branch of the Red International of Labor Unions, headed by William Z. Foster, both are making frenzied—but coldly calculated and strategic—efforts for strangle holds which would make any activity by Uncle Sam most difficult if Stalin were to strike in the Western Hemisphere.

"For the reader who belittles Communism in America as a mere 'handful of Reds', here is a tabloid summary from Communist sources:

"Dues paying Communist Party membership, 24,500. These are trained, tried and proven revolutionists. There were only about 50,000 Communist Party members in Russia at the beginning of October, 1917.

"Self-styled 'Revolutionary Unions' of the Trade Union League, 225,000.

"Mass organizations through which we work, composed of affiliates, aspirants to party membership and sympathizers, 500,000.

"Press: Nine dailies—of which but one, *The Daily Worker*, is in English: circulation, 220,000. Periodicals, in ex-

cess of fifty.

"Strikes instigated, aided or prolonged in 1934, according to a Communist Party official statement, involved 1,000,000 workers.

"Now seeking, through capture and 'amalgamation' of independent unions (non-A. F. of L.) the formation and Communist control of an 'Independent Federation of Labor', potential members approximately 1,250,000.

"A careful survey of Communist and Communist-controlled organizations resulted in a report by William Green, president of the A. F. of L., to Presi-

dent Roosevelt, that these number at least one hundred; that they are dominated by an interlocking group of directors numbering not more than sixty; and that of this latter group perhaps ten dominate the entire network.

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## Russian Atrocities

By Rev. Oswald J. Smith, Pastor The Peoples Church, Toronto, Canada.

**FELIX DZERJINSKY**, a powerful Jew, known as the *Inhuman Monster*, who was the founder and head of the *Ogpu*, (Soviet system of secret police) is said to have been responsible for the murders of nearly 2,000,000 men and women. As a matter of fact, when his funeral service was held, a fellow Soviet leader in an effort to eulogize him, declared that he had no less than the deaths of 1,956,650 men and women to his credit.

### Constant Reigns of Terror

We are told that hundreds were done away with on the basis of evidence furnished by child spies, children from the hordes of orphans left by the revolution. These outcasts came to be known as "little wolves". They wandered from city to city, crossing the country in bands, robbing and killing.

Russia, so it is stated, has no less than 50,000 secret spies whose barbarous practices are notorious the world over. These inhuman monsters of cruelty freely shoot their prisoners or deport them to the timber camps of Northern Russia and Siberia for the most insignificant offences. They have kept up their constant reigns of terror for over sixteen years. Many thousands of innocent victims have been sent to the islands of Solovetsky in the White Sea, some for years, others for life. Their work is to cut down trees. And to do this they have to stand in ice water. Their food is so poor, consisting for the most part of weak soup, that they die off by the thousands. Multitudes of Christians have been banished to these regions for no crime against the Soviet government except that they were believers in God.

The women prisoners suffer the most for they are at the mercy of the Red guards. If they seek to protect themselves, they are instantly shot. If they are found to be with child they are put to death.

Reliable reports state that prisoners arrested by the *Ogpu* were herded, in one instance, into a narrow passageway with a door on either side. Suddenly, says Prince Lieven, in describing the scene, a panel opened in one of the doors and a machine gun commenced to pour its leaden bullets into them, so that they were mowed down like rats. Even while some of the wounded still lived, so he says, the passage way was flooded with water and the bodies washed into a cellar. After dark they were taken outside the city and burned.

Furthermore, continues the Prince, it was a frequent practice for a prisoner unaware of his danger, to be taken into a small room so that a guard could creep up behind him and shoot him with a silent pistol.

### "A Gruesome Hell"

Rev. Louis Richard Patmont, who speaks the Russian language fluently, and who travelled throughout Russia and Siberia by himself and saw things with his own eyes, in his book, *The Mystery of Iniquity* writes as follows:

"In place of the workers' paradise,

Russia has been changed into a gruesome hell of suffering and starvation.

"Sweeping changes for the worse are taking place. Russia is bleeding from many wounds. The more than 150,000,000 people of that vast area of approximately a million and a half square miles, extending from the Baltic Sea to the Pacific Ocean and from the frigid shores of the Arctic to the torrid steppes of Turkestan, are undergoing untold suffering. The remnant of the best blood of Russia is being exterminated. Individual effort in industry, commerce, and art, as well as the right of religious worship, are being strangled. The people, with the exception of the terrorists themselves and the Red Army, are in the throes of starvation and want. A very large percentage of the population has been thrown into turmoil and confusion. The masses have become discouraged and disheartened."

By reason of years of residence in various countries of Europe and of knowledge of the European languages, including the Russian, and by avoiding Soviet "tours", Dr. Patmont was able to tour the interior of Russia and get at the real situation and to corroborate the unbiased evidence of others likewise equipped.

"Wherever we went," he writes, "the cooperatives and the government stores were unable to supply the needs of the people. The bread lines, made up of those who possessed food cards, often extend many blocks. Women and children were obliged to wait for hours to get the coveted victuals. The bitter cold did not cause them to give up their turn for the purpose of purchasing bread, sugar, milk, or clothing. The most pathetic sight of all was the great number of homeless children, herded together at the railway stations. Theirs are the most pathetic, appealing faces in all the world. The people generally were virtually in rags. Even the best dressed were uniformly drab.

"Dirty old trams crawled around the streets, crowded with miserable-looking people in whom hope seemed dead. The women conductors wore men's caps and lacked all feminine refinement and charm. It seemed as though some one had cast a spell upon the people, forbidding them to think or feel or plan for the future. A hard chilling atmosphere of fear and suspicion held them enthralled. They stood about the streets in huddles, seemingly because there was nowhere else to go, and because, in fine weather, the streets were preferable to the overcrowded ill-smelling moving picture shows or to the ten metres of floor space which is their official allowance for a 'home'."

Iver Bryce, writing in the *Toronto Daily Star*, says: "I most solemnly aver that I would rather lead the life of a convict in Dartmoor prison than that of an ordinary member of the Russian proletariat. The convict is in every way more to be envied. He has better food, better clothes, more interests, and, above all, the most important thing there is—the hope of better

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days to come."

Dr. Patmont declares that "Cut throats and adulterers are held up by the Communists as heroes and examples for youth to follow. Often, an entire family or else numerous unrelated persons, of mixed sexes, dwell in a single room."

War Against the Saints

Speaking of priests and ministers, he says that they have been placed in the eighth class affected by the food ordinances, and therefore can anticipate only starvation.

Regarding church properties his statement is as follows: "In 1929 alone, 1,370 church properties were either confiscated or destroyed, and since then, other thousands of buildings used for religious worship have been closed."

Furthermore, Dr. Patmont tells us that 1,000,000 prisoners are confined on the Solovetsky Islands in the White Sea. At Kym there are scores of ministers who have been cut off from communication with their people and are being tortured to death in overheated cells. Others have been placed in filthy, vermin infected unheated

cells where their lives are being slowly snuffed out, due to such exposure, or the ravages of typhus.

But why continue? No government since the days of Nero has been guilty of such atrocities, and at last the world is beginning to learn the facts. The suffering of the Saints in Russia today is far worse than the early Church endured. Dr. Patmont's evidence cannot be brushed aside. He had an interview with President Roosevelt before Russian recognition was granted by America. The President sat up most of the night, so he was informed, reading his book *The Mystery of Iniquity*. And yet Russia was officially recognized by the United States. Powerful forces must have been pushing the President from behind the scenes.

"How long, O Lord?" is the cry from millions of Russian hearts and from Christians the world over. And the answer must be left with God. Why He permits such atrocities we do not know. When they will end we cannot say. Our only hope is in prayer. If the whole Christian world were to cry mightily on behalf of Russia, something would surely happen. God has promised to hear His people. Let us not fail Him—and them.

## WAR IN THE EAST

By Rev. Oswald J. Smith, Pastor The Peoples Church, Toronto, Canada.

ACCORDING to recent dispatches Japan has fifty-two aerodromes in Manchuria and has already constructed tens of thousands of miles of railway. Poison gas factories and factories for barbed-wire, aeroplanes, etc., are being built. A new port for war ships is also under construction.

Russia, on the other hand, claims to have 400 bombing planes as well as numerous pursuit planes. General Urishkin of the Red Army believes that Russia could defeat Japan. He relies, so he has stated, on the Far Eastern Army.

The Russian Army is now able to exist on Siberia and does not, therefore, have to draw its supplies from Moscow.

Russia claims to have 23 divisions of infantry under arms in the Far East. Each division has 12,000 men and consists of three regiments and one battalion.

Moreover, the Reds have 5,000 pieces of field artillery, 500 trench mortars, 900 small tanks, 400 medium tanks and a good many heavy battle tanks, 50,000 machine guns and some aeroplanes according to a report in the *Daily Star*, Toronto.

Continuing, the *Star's* correspondent states that Russia has double tracked the Trans-Siberian railway. That was a tremendous undertaking. It took 100,000 men, slave labor, a whole year to complete it. Moreover, a railway has been constructed from the centre of Russia to the Far East. Another railway 2,000 miles long runs along the Manchurian border. This also was built by Russia. But that is not all. Russia is still building railways and constructing huge locomotives.

The Red Army in Europe, so the

General already quoted, states, number 600,000 under arms with a reserve of two million and a half, and in addition five million militia.

Japan, he believes, can only put 24 divisions in the field. Whereas, Russia has 36 divisions ready for any emergency in the Far East.

This is the latest news that has come from Russian sources. How true it is we can not say. The statements are those of a General who happened to be representing his country in Paris. The *Star's* newspaper correspondent got in touch with him and obtained the information herewith given.

### Preparing for the Show Down

It is certainly apparent to the entire world that Japan and Russia are preparing for a show down. All this huge expenditure is not for nothing. Russia had allowed her people to starve in order to equip her army and prepare for defence purposes. *How long war may be averted no one can say. It will be terrible when it comes.*

As I understand prophecy there are three major conflicts just before us. The first has to do with the kings of the East and will in all probability find its fulfillment in the war between Japan and Russia. This conflict will then lead up to the second. Russia and Germany amalgamated will turn against Great Britain, Italy, France, America, etc., the countries that will be known at the time as the Revived Roman Empire. This war will be waged in Palestine where the Northern Armies will have sought a "spoil", according to Ezekiel. The third and last war, or battle, will be Armageddon.

It is because of these striking predictions that the eyes of Bible students are turned toward the present situa-

tion in the Far East. For the Russia-Japanese struggle may be the beginning of the End.

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## WORLD CORPORATION AND WORLD DICTATOR

By Rev. A. Reilly Copeland, Pastor Tabernacle Baptist Church, Waco, Texas

**I**NTERNATIONAL affairs, in changing rapidly, produce ominous days in which none can guess what's next because the world has lost its equilibrium in politics, religion, commerce, business and trade. All things are topsy-turvy, inside out and right side down, in this the closing period of this remarkable and wonderful age. Signs are everywhere apparent that we are now in the rapids, headed for the gigantic falls of a universal catastrophe as predicted by the Prophets and Christ and the Apostles. The coming of the Lord draws nigh.

Christ Himself is the Stone referred to by the Prophet Daniel that would take control of the earth at the time of His personal coming (Matt. 21:33-46). The Apostle Peter makes it clear that Christ is the living Stone rejected by the Jews (2 Pet. 2:4,8) and that in the last days religious professors would scoff at the premillennial personal, visible and glorious return of the Lord: (2 Pet. 3:3-7) "Knowing this first, that there shall come in the last days scoffers, walking after their own lusts, and saying, Where is the promise of his coming? for since the fathers fell asleep, all things continue as they were from the beginning of the creation. For this they willingly are ignorant of, that by the word of God the heavens were of old, and the earth standing out of the water and in the water: Whereby the world that then was, being overflowed with water, perished: But the heavens and the earth, which are now, by the same word are kept in store, reserved unto fire against the day of judgment and perdition of ungodly men."

In these closing days we see all about us *unusual unanimity, remarkable federation, gigantic combination and universal consolidation* which means an eventual world corporation with the slogan "Amalgamation or Annihilation." Controlling forces and interests of the whole world are acquiring "one mind." This state and condition, just preceding the soon coming end of the age, was foretold by the Apostle John on the Isle of Patmos: (Rev. 17:13-17) "These have *one mind*, and shall give their power and strength unto the beast."

The final stage of World Corporation will be reached when the Antichrist comes as the World Dictator to rule with supreme control. This one system of world control is being born of industrial science, combined with education, industry and government and will put over one unified united system that will possess all nations and people with one corporate mind, and such a world corporation will displace all governments and make all nations helpless in, and subject to, one corporate Head (the Beast of Revelation 13:1-10, and 17:12-17), who will by his super-control direct all phases of life, channels of business, avenues of society, walks of men; all social castes, nationalities, and peoples will be formed into a so-called World Brotherhood, but Scripture plainly declares that it will be cast down:

(Ezk. 38:21-23) "And I will call for a sword against him throughout all my mountains, saith the Lord God: every man's sword shall be against his brother. And I will plead against him with pestilence and with blood; and I will rain upon him, and upon his bands, and upon the many people that are with him, an overflowing rain, and great hailstones, fire, and brimstone. Thus will I magnify myself, and sanctify myself; and I will be known in the eyes of many nations, and they shall know that I am the Lord."

There are now many visionary authors, misguided statesmen and scheming politicians who think a World Corporation and a World Brotherhood will be a cure-all for social injustices. Thus they would rectify the world's troubles and bring all nations and people together in a League of Nations and a League of Religions. But they do not know that Satan stands behind and is energizing all these world movements for corporation in government, politics, commerce, industry, society, apostate religion and false pride, and in due time will furnish the Beast ruler spoken of in Daniel (7:7,23-28) and Revelation (Chapters 13 and 17) who will be the prince or god of this world (John 16:11; 2 Cor. 4:3,4; Eph. 2:1-3). We see that man's Utopia will end in a world tribulation, (Dan. 12:1; Mat. 24:21; Rev. 7:14) which tribulation can

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Consolidations today are taking place among the big banks of the country, the state and inter-state railways, the bus and freight lines, and oceanic travel and cargo boats, with all other traffic systems, industries, and manufacturers of every sort. All are now practically in the hands of a few wealthy syndicates. Recently in the United States the radio, telegraph and telephone systems came under federal censorship, thus making it possible to eliminate individual interests and private ownership. Therefore, we see the tendency is to freeze out all smaller companies and independent firms unless they enter their own particular combines, hence commerce is headed for both state owner-

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ship and censorship.

God's Word makes plain that everything will become so standardized that such a state of affairs will develop until a condition will be reached known as the great tribulation, during which time all private ownership will cease and world commerce will be brought under one head with one controlling hand: (Rev. 13:17) "And that no man might buy or sell, save he that had the mark, or the name of the beast, or the number of his name."

In this present age of mechanical mass production by the wealthy syndicates there exists a universal boycott spirit to intimidate anyone who dares to resist. When the Beast or Antichrist comes, who is spoken of in the 13th chapter of Revelation as the master head and mind of the world, he will have at his hand world microphones to speak through, and with the press censored and other news facilities at his command, he will make his wishes known and will grip every nation, community, and individual in such a short space of time that within a few hours he will make the world to lie helplessly at his feet unable to resist even his whims.

This period will be known as already suggested as the great tribulation, and will crush out every individual thought and action and cause independent minds to suffer the vilest tyranny that has ever been witnessed in the history of the world, according to the Prophet Daniel. God's Word also makes it clear that all who resist the Antichrist will suffer starvation and martyrdom (Rev. 6:1-17).

Everywhere about us we see the gradual amalgamation of all trade centers, and this process of consolidation will continue uninterrupted, headed for an all embracing world wide monopoly. The recent London economic conference with sixty-six nations represented, boldly discussed a world corporation in different matters, and outlined a platform whereby universal control can be ultimately realized and staged under one head. Today everywhere, we see commerce being unified into powerful combines and gigantic trusts with ironbound federations that absolutely control the sources, also the supply and distribution. The only conclusion is, it will be but a short time until the industry of the whole world will be owned, controlled and operated by one huge single trust.

The labor world is also drunk with the spirit of federation, unions, co-operative societies, leagues, clubs, guilds, and other forms of organization which have but "one mind" and that is to regulate and operate things for their own profit. All these together will give unyielding loyalty to the Beast or Antichrist through their atheistic Socialism and Communism which already boasts of power to rule God off the throne and municipalize the world concerning all civic matters, industries, politics, and nationalization. This means the deification of man and humanizing of God.

#### THE WORLD WIDE POLITICAL COMBINE AMALGAMATION AND FEDERATION OF NATIONS

The nations today have a craving desire to combine amalgamate, and federate. They prove this by their constant alliances, both openly and secretly. The plan is to submerge all smaller nations. These activities have been go-

ing on in constant change until the reshuffling has so changed the map of the world that we now read in the press about the proposed "United States of Europe" and a world federal government cooperating to prevent another world war.

In June 1934, Premier Benito Mussolini of Italy, and Chancellor Adolf Hitler of Germany, who are the two most feared rulers in the world today, had a conference in Venice, but did not give the details of their conversations to the world press, hence one can readily surmise the portent of such a conference. For example, God's Word declares that there will be ten kings in Western Europe who will federate together in the closing days and will choose for themselves the Beast of Revelation 13, as their head. The Apostle John also tells us that these ten horns are ten kings who will give their power to the Antichrist (Rev. 17:12, 17).

It is reported that the leaders of world Jewry will select for themselves a world leader in 1934 or 1935. This leader may be a Gentile. Prophecy declares that, "The people of the Prince that shall come shall destroy the city and the sanctuary" (Dan. 9:26). The people of the Prince were, the Romans under the Roman general Titus destroyed Jerusalem in 70 A. D., according to Christ's prophecy in Luke, chapter 21, verses 20-24. Christ also told us in His parable of the fig tree that national Israel would revive, and this Jewish national revival began with Zionism in 1897, with its first conference at Basle, Switzerland that year, and Christ declared that "when ye see these things" you would know that the end of the age was near, (Luke 21:29-33).

If according to the prophet Daniel the people who destroyed Jerusalem would be Romans, and history proved were Romans, then "the Prince that shall come" will also be a Roman. Who knows but what the Jews will choose Mussolini for their world leader? If so, he would have to be the first Beast of Revelation 13: (Rev. 13:1-10), and would be the head of the ten highly civilized nations referred to in the prophecy. As head he would be supreme controller of these kingdoms and they would hold the balance of world power, hence such a ruler would become instantly such an one that the whole world would declare as the prophecy stated: "WHO IS LIKE UNTO THE BEAST? WHO IS ABLE TO MAKE WAR WITH HIM?"

According to Rev. 17:13-14, the Beast, and his vassal kings, in their hearts are of one mind and give their kingdoms to the Beast "until the words of God shall be fulfilled" (Rev. 17:17). The real power of the world will be in the hands of the Beast (Rev. 13:2-7; 17:16, 17). Read Revelation, chapter 19:11-21, and you will see how Christ will overthrow the World Corporation and its World Dictator.

#### THE WORLD WIDE RELIGIOUS COMBINE UNION AND CONGLOMERATION OF APOSTATES

For years the churches have had a world fever for big combinations and unions. This anti-Christ desire for combination will ultimately result in an unbelieving apostate church dominated by Rome which will seek to enforce a world religion. Frequently in

church conference discussions, church union is discussed regardless of Biblical differences and there seems to be one idea among such unsaved leaders, and that is to form a gigantic religious union organization, and their slogan is that they might present a "united front" to the world.

God's Word plainly declares that the church's power is in Jesus Christ Who has all power, and that the church's mission is to win believers to Christ and baptize them in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost, (Matt. 28:18-20). Scripture declares that the church's power lies in the act of complete separation from the world, (1 John 2:15-17). This is the exact opposite of the ambition of our modern apostate religious leaders. It seems that everything in the realm of religion is working toward centralization, and of course this means spiritual and moral declension as we are gradually approaching the unification of all denominations and religious systems into what the prophecies call: "Mystery, Babylon the Great, The Mother of Harlots, and Abominations of the Earth" (Rev. 17:1-5).

The church of Rome which calls itself the one "universal church" has always been out to gain world control, that is, to bring the world under its complete domination. The book of Revelation has given us a picture of this in the 17th chapter, when the apostate church, the Mother of Harlots, and her unbelieving and unrepentant Protestant daughters, who aped the true church the Bride of Christ, will lead the world in setting up a universal religious trust. These harlot daughters are represented today by the so-called Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America. God's Word makes plain that ultimately the ecclesiastical Babylon, which Scripture designates as "the great whore" will be destroyed by the very political power she united with as a goddess world power, seeking world control (Rev. 17:16-18).

The Antichrist will determine to make himself the sole and only object of worship (2 Thess. 2:3,4; Rev. 13:5; 17:16). All those who refuse to worship him will suffer persecution and martyrdom. The true church in the Age of Grace will have already been taken up and out of the earth by the Holy Spirit which indwells every believer (Rom. 8:11, 21-23, 29, 30, 35-39; 1 Cor. 15:20-23, 51-58; 1 Thess. 5:13-18). The Beast, determined to be the center of all world power, political, commercial, and social, will also be the center of all religious authority, and will demand that the entire world make him the object of worship, and will put to death both Jew and Gentile who does not bow down to himself (Rev. 13:11-18). Thus he will finally turn against Rome and its apostate offspring.

The world was never in a position as it is right now. All forces, now insidiously working, are being powerfully moved toward that one object as the supreme climax of a civilization which is fast headed for the rapids. With growing centralization everywhere and the spirit of a World Corporation there can possibly be only one outcome, a World Dictator in commerce, politics and religion, and God's Word declares that exactly such a drama will be acted out during the end-time.

# The Crisis of the Ages

By Dr. Louis R. Patmont, Author of "The Mystery of Iniquity", Berkeley, Calif.

**WE ARE** living in a grand and awful time. The church is approaching its Gethsemane. Judgment must needs commence at the house of God. As the cycle of the time of Grace nears its completion, we may expect another time of testing, purification and power.

The early church had its baptism of fire and suffering, but it also experienced great triumphs of faith. The last church must look forward to the same tests; it also has promises of the same achievements and victories. Storm clouds are already gathering on the horizon. In different parts of the world, persecution of the church is again in progress. There has been much suffering, but there also have been gratifying results. God's people are enjoying a larger measure of unity and love. The body of Christ is becoming purer and more spiritual. As the apostasy gains in momentum, the true church becomes more spiritually minded.

Truly this is "the hour of darkness" (Luke 22:53). The church is approaching the crisis of the ages. The attacks of the Enemy upon the impregnable rock of God's Word, the dignity and deity of the Lord Jesus, as well as the church, which is His body, are signs of the times and are certain indications that "the coming of the Lord draweth nigh".

Satan knows that he has but a short time. His reign and dominion is approaching an inevitable doom. The shadow of the Antichrist is cast upon an unbelieving generation. Rebellion is in the air. The Gibraltar of Christian civilization, the home, is also being attacked. Men have lost faith in Christian ideals and democracy. The battle between materialism and theistic idealism is being carried to the pulpit, the professor's desk, and into the press.

The true church of Christ has come forth with new power to face the foe. If there ever was a time for a thorough preparation for Christian service, this is the time. The apostate church, mingled denominationalism, has failed. It will soon meet its judgment. "Babylon and her daughters" have been rejected. The "harlot" will be burned with fire (Rev. 17:16). But the gates of hell will not prevail against the true church, the real saints. She will come forth in the power of the Spirit, "conquering and to conquer".

This is no time for easy going middle-in-the-road Christians. The call of the hour is for heroes, yes, if need be, martyrs, who are willing to live and to die for the truth. The age is dying. We are in the birth pangs of a new age. Before deliverance—"the glorious liberty of the sons of God" comes, there must needs be travail and suffering. The saints of the ages have dreamed of this great deliverance at the coming of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ.

In connection with the great apostasy, it is rather surprising to observe that Rome itself does not deny that she is spiritual Babylon. A book by Cardinal Manning, published in 1861, en-

titled "The Present Crisis of the Holy See Tested by Prophecy", presents much evidence to the effect that the teachings of the church of Rome declare that Babylon the Great, is a symbol of Rome. To quote: "We read of the city of Rome, that she said in the pride of her heart 'I sit as a queen and am no widow and sorrow I shall not see.' 'Therefore, shall her plagues come in one day, death and mourning and famine, and she shall be burned with fire, because God is strong who shall judge her' (Apoc. 18:7,8). Some of the greatest writers of the church tell us that in all probability, the last overthrow of the enemy of God, the city of Rome itself will be destroyed: it will be a second time punished by the Almighty God. . . .

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He pleads for Christian heroism

will probably become apostate from the church. . . .

The fact that Manning declares that this apostasy consists of a falling away from the Papacy, should not change the facts of the above proposition. Every thinking man knows that prophecy is being fulfilled.

"The dry bones of the House of Israel" are beginning to take on sinews and flesh. There are signs of life and activity. Palestine is being restored to her promised splendor and beauty. Israel is returning to its homeland. The wealth of the Dead Sea has become a bone of contention among the great powers which no doubt will culminate into "the great battle of God Almighty."

Christians have every reason to contend more earnestly for the faith which was once delivered unto the saints (Jude 3). The gospel of Jesus Christ still has the same power. We must contend for it with zeal and earnestness. Every spiritual movement on record had greater strength and posses-

ed more unction and power when it started than after it had been going for a time. Its usefulness gradually weakens, 'till it is reduced to mere form and dies. Only a return to the old time apostolic fervor and power can save the church from the inevitable disintegration and death.

There is no question but what Satan will oppose to the last possible ditch all aggressive spiritual forces threatening his kingdom and lifting high the banner of the cross. No means will be overlooked, nor any effort untried to defeat God's people and to render their efforts unavailing to save man from sin. The attacks will be along the line of faith—the faith which "overcomes the world."

When Israel ceased to carry on the program of God, they were sent into captivity. God indicated by the testimonial of Daniel, that the sceptre of world rule should pass from one people to another, until practically all the chief races of men should have a chance at world rule, but he will be defeated. The kingdoms of this world will become the kingdoms of God and His Christ. What a glorious privilege to fight, at a time like this, in the army—Christ's blood bought church, which will never suffer defeat!

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## Pencil Points

— A Message For Children —

By Rev. Richard W. Lewis, Siloam Springs, Arkansas.

**H**OWDY, boys and girls!

Let's hold a guessing match. I have something in my hand which you cannot now see. But I really believe that many of you can, and will, guess what it is.

I could almost hear some of you brighter readers saying to yourselves, "It's a pencil!" Well, that's just what it is. Indeed, I have several pencils, and I want us to study together your old and familiar friend, the lead pencil, and to see how many good "pencil points" we can find.

One reason I chose to write on pencils is that every girl and boy has one. Yet I doubt if any one of you knows *all about* the pencil. Let us see about that.

First, how do we get pencils? "Manufactured", you say. But from what are they made? "Wood and lead." Yes, what kind of wood? "Pine and cedar", you say. The cheaper ones use pine, the best cedar. Then every pencil once grew in a tree! Trees standing out in the forest do some good, but not nearly so much as when they are changed into pencils.

It is just so with youngsters. So long as they live in a wild, uneducated, unsaved state, they do little good for themselves or others. But when they are made over—saved and educated, their true usefulness begins.

The boy or girl who cannot read or write, who is ignorant, and lives in sin, should be pitied. No one finds much use for them. They are like a piece of round wood without lead; or they are like a lead pencil unsharpened—useful to nobody.

I wish you could see this collection of pencils I have. They remind me of boys and girls with whom I meet. Here is a short one—who likes a "short" playmate? Certainly, "Nobody"!

Now here is a blue pencil, and I dislike it. Live right every day, and you will never be "blue". Be too busy to be "blue"! Work hard, and you work off sadness and loneliness.

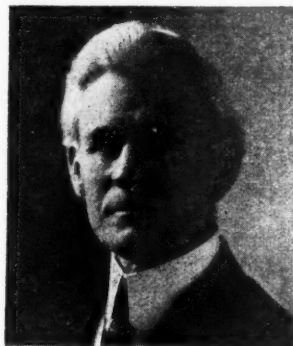
Then here is a fancy pencil. It is all fixed up with a fancy holder for the lead. Instead of sharpening it, you turn the top to the right and the point comes out for use. After all, only the lead is useful. Just so, these fancily fixed up folk, though stylish, amount to no more than plain people, unless they are more useful.

Here is a pencil that reminds me of the girls. It is painted red. Why? "To make it look pretty," you say. If pencils grew red, they would not need to be painted red. Even so it is with girls. The healthy, normal girl will have red and pretty cheeks without paint. Paint on a girl's cheeks tells us the girl is not pretty without painting!

"Cheeks, cheeks, red as roses,  
Each one looks like a bunch of posies;  
What makes your cheeks so rosy and red?  
Bread and butter, and early to bed;  
Plenty of water, mamma said,  
Makes our cheeks so rosy and red".

If you were handed a crooked pencil by the merchant, would you keep it or turn it back? You would have no use for it, would you? Nor do busy men have any use for "crooked" helpers. To get good jobs you must be straight—honest, truthful, reliable. "Crooked" boys and girls are no more needed than are crooked pencils.

My pencil has a name on it. I read: "American Pencil Co." All good pencils carry the names of their makers. The makers of cheap, poor pencils are ashamed to put their names on their pencils. Whose name do you have? "My own," do you say? Hardly. You came into this world with your father's sir-name, then your parents added what we call "a given name". But do you have also your Maker's name? Are you called "godly"? Can you claim the name "Christian"? Or does Satan



Richard W. Lewis  
*He has a message for children*

give you the name, "sinner"? There is so much in a name. It stands for character.

No pencil is worth anything until it is sharpened. That means that the wood must be cut away to so as to expose the lead that it may be used. Some one has represented the pencil as saying: "People are always cutting on me! But I don't care, for it helps me make my mark in the world"! The uncut pencil is the unused pencil.

Many boys and girls get the habit of complaining because some one is "always cutting" on them. They would selfishly protect themselves. The world has no use for youngsters who are "good to themselves". To serve the world we must be pointed, and to be pointed in our service we must have the "wood" cut away. When we suffer, it teaches us how others feel when they suffer, and makes us want to help relieve them of their pain.

Have you a pointed life? Have you learned to be pointed in speaking clearly, and doing definitely what you should? To do so you must learn to manage your mind, concentrate, and

then control your tongue. But don't go too far with it. Get this story: A woman had the bad habit of commenting on the peculiarities of others before their faces, to their great embarrassment. Her husband met an old friend whom he had not seen for a long time, and wanted to have him for dinner. His wife was told that this man had an enormous nose, and asked if she would refrain from comment should he be brought out as their guest. She vowed that for once she would not say a thing to embarrass him or her husband. He came, and was presented to the hostess, who centered her eyes on that tremendous nose! About to serve the coffee, she asked: "Mr. Jones, do you take cream and sugar in your nose"? and spoiled the evening for them all! Too much mental concentration!

You know you buy pencils—they are not given away. They are worth something, so they cost money. However, when I was up in Pittsburgh conducting revivals, I learned that boys and girls had pencils furnished by the State! Even then they cost the State of Pennsylvania much money. And the parents had to pay taxes which the State used in buying the pencils, so after all the pencils were not free. Then we should be careful with pencils. Never waste one. Do not bite them to pieces. Take care of them. They cost, and are worth all they cost.

That reminds me of "the old maid's kiss", of which you may have heard. An old bachelor fell in love with an old maid. Later they decided to get married. Going to her father's home to be married, the train passed through a short tunnel. Taking advantage of the dark the timid "old batch" printed a warm kiss upon his intended's cheek. As they came out of the tunnel, with much excitement he announced: "That is a wonderful tunnel; it cost half a million dollars". To which she replied, blushing: "It's worth all it cost"! Preserve your pencils—they cost!

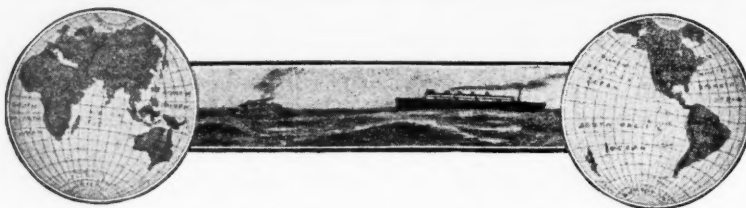
You will notice on the other end of the pencil a rubber cap. You erase errors with it, you know. With one end of the pencil you make mistakes, and with the other you rub them out.

We all make mistakes, but all do not act the same after making them. Some persons act very ugly by adding mistake to mistake. If we misunderstand, misrepresent or mistreat any one, the least thing we can do is to rub out that mistake by begging pardon and asking forgiveness. We add insult to injury when we wrong one and fail to admit it, regret it, and ask pardon for it.

Finally, no pencil would be worth anything at all without having the old heart of wood removed and a new heart of lead laid in. It is with the pencil's new heart that we write, figure, draw diagrams and pictures. And what is true of the pencil is also true of ourselves. With the old, natural, fleshly heart of sin God cannot use us. So we read in the Bible, "A new heart also will I give you". Jesus said to Nicodemus, "Marvel not that I say unto you, Ye must be born again".

Only the boy and girl who confesses sin, repents thereof, and trusts God to take out the old sinful heart and put in a new heart of salvation, is worth anything more to God than a leadless pencil is worth to you. "Ye MUST be born again", to be used of God.





## MISSIONARY REPORTS FROM: AFRICA, WEST INDIES, GREECE, INDIANS, AND DEFENDERS JEWISH TESTIMONY. . .

### Satan's Kingdom Attacked in the West Indies

**A** GENERAL on a battle-field never attacked an enemy more systematically than the strongholds of Satan are being attacked on the Island of Puerto Rico. *These are great days for the Gospel in that part of the world.* God is using the Testimony of the *Defenders Movement*, in the Spanish language, as a veritable battering-ram.

Important church history is now being written in Puerto Rico. It is therefore urgent that we continue to pray and supply the ammunition for our beloved Spanish brethren who are on the firing-line engaged in the trench warfare at close grips with the Enemy. We must avail ourselves of this opportunity to evangelize the West Indies. We must "strike while the iron is hot."

Let us pray daily for Superintendent J. F. Rodriguez and his army of *Christian Defenders* who are pushing steadily forward with the Gospel in face of most defiant opposition. It is not an easy thing to awaken a populace where no other form of religion, but pagan Romanism, was allowed for over 400 years. *But the present sweeping revival has shaken Puerto Rico to its foundations.*

On this page you will see a photograph of a typical *Defender Chapel Preacher*. He is a converted trained native Puerto Rican, on his way out to an interior open-air preaching point, to hold a Gospel service. In his hands he is carrying a portable organ. This means that he will sing, teach his rural listeners some Gospel hymns in Spanish, preach a Gospel sermon from the Word of God, and give an invitation for souls to accept Christ. He will then return to his home and go to some other "Chapel" preaching-point the next night.

This man gives his evenings freely because of his love of the Gospel. He knows the language and customs of his people far better than a "foreign" missionary could ever hope to know them and is therefore better qualified to take the Message to the people.

Defender "Chapels" are now being dotted all over the Island, presided over by scores of such preachers. By this means, thousands of precious Puerto Ricans are being reached who would not otherwise hear the glad-tidings of redeeming love.

During 1934, three mighty revivals have been used by the Holy Ghost to precipitate a great mass movement toward God in Puerto Rico. Assisted by Mr. Rodriguez, three strong Gospel leaders have visited the Island:

Evangelist Olazabal, the "Mexican Moody" of New York.

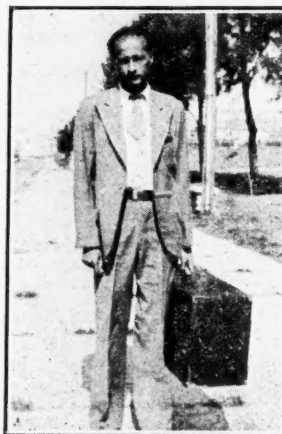
Rev. David Sholin, dean of Oswald J. Smith's Bible School in Spain.

Rev. C. J. Linn, evangelist and Bible

teacher in Wisconsin.

Every part of the Island has felt the impact of these three great driving crusades for righteousness. Mr. Sholin says: "Thanks be to God for the work that *The Defenders Movement* is doing in Puerto Rico. It would require volumes to describe what is being accomplished."

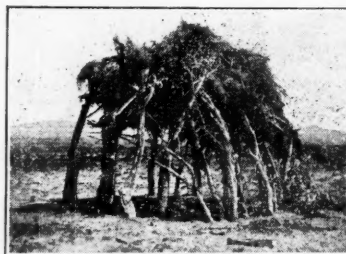
Mr. Rodriguez hurled the following



**A Chapel Preacher**  
Carrying a portable organ

challenge to *Defender Readers* in a recent letter to the Editor:

"A great emergency has arisen! We need a Bible School. Our young men need increased Bible Training to rightly divide the Word of Truth. The call is for laborers of the "eleventh hour" to reach "the regions beyond" where benighted working-men, peasants and poor farmers pass daily into a Christless Eternity. We request *Defender Readers'* sympathy toward this purpose. We must quickly reach every Island in the West Indies so that other



**A Navajo Hogan in Arizona**

places can experience what we are witnessing in Puerto Rico. A *Defenders Bible Institute* is imperative for this purpose."

Meanwhile, the radio and the printed page continue to be used also, in a large way, to speed up the evangelization of Spanish-speaking multitudes.

In view of these new developments and added responsibilities, it is evident that larger sums of money are being needed than ever before for the *Spanish Defenders Testimony*. The only source of financial support is that which comes from *Defender Readers*.

Bear in mind please, that one hundred cents of every dollar sent to Wichita for this purpose, is forwarded to the Field. Designate your gift carefully if it is meant for Spanish missions and it be used entirely for this purpose.

### The Indian Work

**T**O THE American Indian, all white men are foreigners. He was here when the white man came. To be sure, white civilization has brought to him many advantages. But it is also true that in an early day, we gave him many things that served as a curse, and not a blessing, particularly the "fire water" which victimized and made him a slave to alcohol.

It is up to Christians to redeem every opportunity of reaching the Red Man with the Gospel, on the various reservations where the government has placed him. Two important works have been developed by the *Defenders Movement* among the Yaqui and Navajo Indians of Arizona.

Rev. and Mrs. Leonardo Mercado send regular reports to the Wichita Headquarters telling of miracles of Grace that are being wrought among the Yaqui, which is perhaps the most backward of all Indian tribes.

Miss Katherine Beard and Mrs. Iva Lauber who were sent to the Navajos by *The Defenders* two months ago, to labor under the direction of the *Navajo Indian Evangelization Movement* are now stationed in happy soul-winning service, though the duties and their missionary trials are many. They are laboring with Godly people, Rev. and Mrs. B. H. Stokely, and will have soon mastered the Navajo language.

At the bottom of the center column of this page there appears a picture of a Navajo summer home—a *hogan*.

The following story by Miss Beard telling of a painful incident shows something of the daily routine of their experiences on the Field. Let no *Defender Reader* pass lightly over this great Yaqui-Navajo challenge. Pray that gifts in abundance to keep these

two needed Indian works going, will be sent to the Wichita Headquarters. Just now there is imperative need of additional offerings to get the Testimony through the Summer season. Designate that your offering is for the Indian Work and it will be appropriated accordingly.

## Going Home To Die

By Katherine Beard

IT WAS Wednesday morning, the mission family had not yet had devotions, when looking out of the window one exclaimed: "What's coming? Is it Navajos?" Closer observation revealed three Navajos, a father with his twelve year old daughter, and an older son riding in an old rickety covered wagon, were approaching. They drove in and stopped. Immediately, the members of the mission went out to greet them.

"Ya'-at'-eh si-k'-is! (It is good my friend). Greetings having been exchanged, their need was the next inquiry. Shortly it was learned that the young man who was lying in the rear of the so-called wagon on sheep skins, and dirty quilts, was very ill with tuberculosis. Yea, he was near death. It was, indeed, a different picture of the same young man who one summer previous was strong, robust, and husky as any Navajo youth should ever hope to be. Now we see the same soul, but a mere skeleton for his body. See him lying there — chest flat, shoulders stooped, head bent low, a most horrid hump on his back, panting momentarily for breath. No, it would not be long until he would pass out into eternity.

What had occurred, and why had he not come before? He had fallen from a horse months before; ignorance and superstition had served as Satan's emissaries to prevent this one from obtaining help. The heathen "medicine men" had been called in, and many "sings" had been held over the poor unfortunate boy but to no avail. He grew worse and worse although the "medicine men" had been well paid in sheep, coffee, and perhaps some beads.

Then word came that a certain Hopi medicine man living in a nearby village could remove the *c'-in-dih* (devils) in miraculous ways. For this reason, this father who loved his boy, as you love yours, had driven some thirty-five miles in the best vehicle he had. Bumpety, bump, bump, they came jogging along on these rough roads with the sick one in the wagon. An all night "sing" had been held over him, and at last the "sorcerer" said he had found a devil in the shoulder and removed it in the form of a bone, producing a small bone about an inch long as his evidence. However, there was no wound indicating such a thing had occurred. In other words, the Hopi "sorcerer" had simply pulled a fake trick to deceive the family. Now at the end of their journey for help, they come to the mission station asking the missionaries to take the boy home in a car that he might be a bit more comfortable.

As he lay on his sheep skin in our front yard, Mrs. Stokely (missionary) bent low over his frail form to see if he were prepared to meet his God. He had heard the story one Christmas at the mission, but had he believed?

"Oah!" (yes) came the answer. "Jesus Loves Me" was sung in his native tongue as well as other hymns telling the glad news of salvation.

"It can not be long; soon he will be carried out to the hills to die alone because his loved ones fear the evil spirits. How sweet to know his soul will go to be with Jesus. Experiences such as this make the missionaries' lives worthwhile.

There are thousands in this land steeped in darkness. Imagine! In our own United States, 46,000 Navajos, half of whom have never heard the Gospel!

## "The Greek Defender"



THE ABOVE picture is a Greek reproduction of the emblem of the International Defenders Movement. This emblem, greatly enlarged, is emblazoned on the front cover of *The Greek Defender* magazine from Salonica, Greece under the direction of Rev. A. Velonis.

This emblem symbolizes the helmet of Salvation, the Sword of the Spirit, an open Bible and the Defender Scripture verse—Jude 3.

As to contents, *The Greek Defender* is somewhat similar to the English Magazine. As far as can be learned, it is the only publication of its kind in the Greek language, carrying as it does a profound prophetic emphasis.

In a recent letter to Headquarters, Mr. Velonis solicited the earnest prayers of *Defender Readers* everywhere for the success of the Greek Testimony. Missionary offerings for this purpose may be forwarded to Wichita.

## Paul Needs a Victrola

STEP by step, involving persistent efforts and no end of hard work, Paul Revere and his helpers, are making marvelous strides in the evangelization of large areas of Liberia—the Black Republic of West Africa.

Quoting from a letter just received from Paul:

"Tell *Defender Readers* again about the lives which are being lived by my poor people. Oh, how can I ever thank God enough that prayer found me, took me across the ocean to America to be educated and sent back as a *Defender of the Faith* to teach my people and save many of their precious souls. Yes, dear Dr. Winrod, I am happy in the service of the King. But tell all your friends to pray, pray, pray night and day for me and my workers so

that the white Gospel light shall shine in this dark place of the earth.

"I am just leaving for a trip far into the hinterland of Liberia. I will travel through a district, preaching as I go in the language of the Kroo Tribes, that includes about one-fourth of the whole population of Liberia. This part is called 'Tartweh.' I am taking my faithful friend Peter Momboe with me. He is like my right hand to me! I could not live without him.

"I have stationed Kofah to preach and teach at 'Grand Kola', Weah is at 'Mannah', and Jack is at 'Wissephoh Station'.

"I am trying to change the lives of tribesmen by giving them the glorious Gospel, so they will quit having so many wives and engaging in human sacrifices.

"We have received many things from Wichita, things sent to you by *Defender Readers*, for us. The books, Bibles, maps, camera, offerings for the boat—all these remembrances have been appreciated. But now Brother Winrod, we need a Victrola. We could do wonders with one if we had it.

"People in the interior simply go into spasms of joy when they hear music coming out of a Victrola-box. It is beyond their comprehension and gives the missionary access to their hearts. If you are able to send us a Victrola we want only religious records with it."

NOTE: As soon as sufficient gifts are received for Paul's work above actual needs for monthly offerings, funds will be used (if God honors this appeal) for securing a Victrola and a set of records for his use in appealing to natives who are sure to be held spellbound by hearing sacred music, (unlike the dull beat of their tom-toms coming out of a box.)

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## Mountains of Hypocrisy and Mole Hills of Cowardice

By Hon. William D. Upshaw, Presidential Candidate  
of the Prohibition Party in 1932

Verily we are learning again the truth of that old-fashioned Bible declaration: "When the wicked rule the people mourn." As yet—and we are afraid it will be a long time—we don't know what it means to give an ocular demonstration that "Righteousness alone exalteth a nation."

My old fashioned Christian father used to teach his boys around the family altar: "My sons, I will never knowingly vote for any man who meddles with a bottle—and I will never vote for any man for any office to whom I could not point my children as a moral example."

What would he say now if he could see in daily action the *mountains of hypocrisy* on the part of high officials and the *mole hills of cowardice* on the part of their truculent followers?

### Glaring, Daring, Shameless Deception

It seems that men in public life have just about lost all sense of honor and all semblance of decency in moral leadership; and they are doing this horrible thing under the mandate of America's greatest despotism—"Party Loyalty".

What would be considered—not only considered, but known to be outright lying in private dealing, becomes a party slogan and a national virtue when political bosses pronounce their shameless shibboleths.

For instance, everybody knows that both old parties said in their platforms and in the declaration of their Presidential candidates, that while they stood for the repeal of the Eighteenth Amendment they would strenuously oppose the return of the "old saloon" with all of its horror and hell, its slime and crime. Of course everybody knew that that was a monumental prevarication—a campaign deception—and, well, I hate to say it about our national and political leaders, but in face of the garish and unblushing deceit that we see around us on every side, it was a plain *unmitigated, unfumigated liquor lie!*

If anybody rises to denounce this indictment as "high treason" I dare them to bring a blue print of specifications in face of the nationally known horrible facts.

In every state in the Union whose state Prohibition laws do not prevent, straight-out liquor shops are selling hard liquor by the drink; and in the states where so-called 3.2 beer is being sold even in the face of local laws against the sale of intoxicating liquors, beer joints on every side are made the "cloak" for selling hard liquor.

Both in Longview and Houston, Texas, I recently sent my representative, Rev. George W. Wilburn, a well known minister of Ft. Worth, just to see what could be done, and in a few minutes he came from beer saloons with bottles of well known brands of liquors, saying he had no trouble whatever in making the purchases and was openly invited to "come back and buy some more." I exposed these "joints" during the course of my addresses in each place, giving the number through Mr. Wil-

burn's own testimony as to where they were bought; I indicted the officials that allowed this glaring defiance of law to go on right under their eyes—I indicted the Governor of Texas for signing the beer bill that made possible these booze joints, and I indicted the citizens of each place for electing to office such *mole hills of cowardice* as the sheriff's, the district attorney's, chief of police and other officials, that were hand in glove with such wholesale and unblushing hypocrisy.

This is not a condition peculiar to the great State of Texas. I have found similar conditions in many other states in recent travels.

### Saloon Next Door To Oldest Methodist Church

If the old saloon was a place where intoxicating liquor was sold by the drink, then there is a saloon next door to Old John Street, New York,—the oldest Methodist Church in America. The princely pastor of that historic church, Dr. Francis B. Upham, invited me to conduct the mid-day service in Old John Street for two weeks in March. One day I entered a "Chop House" right next door to the Church to get a lunch just before speaking, when lo, I found myself in a straight-out saloon. Over the counter to my left were these words "We do not serve drinks at our bar. Help us to stand by our President, and observe the state liquor law."

And yet on that very counter were several whiskey glasses—some contained the remains of the devilish stuff—glasses that had just been served to people sitting in the booths only a few steps away from that sign, where liquor had been served by the drink just as in the old days. And that was before New York passed the law in defiance of the promise of the National Democratic platform that "the old saloon will not be allowed to return."

What unspeakable hypocrisy! and alas, right in the nation's Capital, at Washington, there are hotel bars, and practically every other kind, where liquor is sold by the drink, the only difference being that you must not stand up and put your foot on the brass rail, but sit down at a table and swig the liquid damnation by the quart or the gallon. And the tragedy is that our President who went from an altar of prayer to his inauguration, signed this bill for the District of Columbia, setting the pace for the rest of the Nation. The horror of horrors is that you not only find every phase and form of the old saloon, where hard liquor along with the milder kinds, is being sold by the drink in cafes, hotels and eating places of all kinds, but it is being served by beautiful girls who are forced to work for a living and who know, as one of them confessed to me today here in Illinois, that if she should refuse to serve liquor by the drink her job would be gone immediately.

And thus the *New Deal Tavern* is the *Old Saloon* reenthroned with every possible angle of multiplied social and

civic abuse. Hypocrisy—glaring hypocrisy—daring hypocrisy—defiant hypocrisy—unblushing hypocrisy! riding the high horses of political deceivers who are laughing outright at the *mole hills of cowardice* that no longer block, or even try to block, their ruthless reign of rum and ruin.

But this we know and rejoice to know, that God is "bottling up the tears" of Mothers and wives and weeping children who are already beginning to suffer the pangs of hell from the New Deal liquor. It were better if those who have brought on this diabolical reign had never been born—better that a milestone had been tied around their necks in their infancy and they had been cast into the bottom of the sea, before they came forth to lead this Wet Parade along the American highways and the city's crowded streets that are fast becoming the shambles of blood and death.

Thank God for the faith and hope that the decent, church-going people of America, will soon wake up and right this horrible wrong that smells to Heaven!

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# WHO WILL BE TAKEN AT THE RAPTURE?

By D. Edmond Hiebert, Ingalls, Kansas

THE Second Coming of Christ is not one single event but is rather two events separated by an interval of several years of time. There is one class of passages, in the New Testament alone, which speaks of His coming for His saints, as John 14:3; Phil. 3:20-21; I Thess. 4:13-18. Then there is that other class of passages, in both the Old and the New Testament, which speaks of His coming with His saints, as Zech. 14:5; Col. 3:4; Jude 14; Rev. 19:11-14. The first speaks of the saints being "caught up" according to I Thess. 4:16-17; the second speaks of the Lord's return with those thus previously "caught up." The first may occur at any time; the second awaits the fulfillment of the first and also many other prophecies.

But who will be thus "caught up" at the rapture? There are at present two views held as to this question. One view, advanced by some, is that there will be but a partial rapture of the saints; that only those saints that are "ready" for the Lord's coming will be taken; that those Christians, though regenerated, that are "unwatchful and unready" will be left to pass through the Great Tribulation. The other view, held by the majority of Bible students, is that all truly regenerated believers will be "caught up." Which one of these views is supported by Scripture? We personally are convinced that the latter is the Scriptural one, and that for the following reasons:

1. The passages that teach about the rapture cannot be understood otherwise. In John 14:3 we have from Christ Himself the first promise in Scripture of His coming for His own. To whom is He here speaking? To only Peter, James, and John who formed the inner circle among His followers? To those that fully understood His promise now given? No, He is speaking to them all. He uses "you" and "ye" without condition or restriction. He is promising to come for those for whom He is now preparing those mansions (v. 2). And is not that for all?

In Phil. 3:20-21 Paul is speaking about this "our vile body" being "fashioned like unto His glorious body" when He will come for His own. Will not this be the lot of every true saint? Will there be any saints whose bodies are not changed? Paul is holding up this glorious prospect "to all the saints which are at Philippi" (1:1), and not to just a select body of believers.

Now turn to that familiar passage in I Thess. 4:13-18. Paul uses the pronoun "we" five times in these six verses. Once (v. 15) he uses it to mean himself and his companions (1:1); the other four times it undoubtedly means all the Thessalonian saints as well as himself and those with him. And to all these he holds up the rapture as a comfort in their sorrows. "If we believe that Jesus died and rose again" shows that he is speaking to all the saved, for that is the condition of salvation. (Rom. 10:9). Yet lest anyone think that these Thessalonians were all "ready" for Christ's return read II Thess. 3:11, written but a few weeks later. Or turn to the corollary passage in I Cor. 15:51-53, where Paul describes the suddenness of the rapture. Here again he

thrice uses the pronoun "we" in the same all-inclusive manner. "We shall all be changed." One has but to scan this epistle to realize that these Corinthians were conducting themselves in a very unworthy manner. If the conduct of a Christian affects his participation in the rapture this would surely be the place to teach it. Yet there is not one hint, open or veiled, that because of their conduct some of these Corinthians would be left at the rapture. Rather, "We shall all be changed."

2. The passages usually given in support of a partial rapture really do not teach it. One of these is the parable of the "ten virgins" (Matt. 25:1-13). The five foolish virgins that were shut out had lamps but did not have oil. They had a profession, lamps, but did not have the Holy Spirit, the oil. They were not born again. "If any man have not the Spirit of Christ, he is none of His." (Rom. 8:9). Again, Christ said to them "I know you not," a thing He could never say to any truly converted soul. See John 10:27: II Tim. 2:19.

Another favorite text is Heb. 9:28, "Unto them that look for Him shall He appear the second time without sin unto salvation." This verse does not teach that He is coming only for those that intelligently look for Him. That would be putting our knowledge instead of our standing in Christ Jesus as the basis of our translation. In some sense every believer is looking for his Saviour, for he knows it will be unutterable joy to be with Him, although that looking may be very imperfect or even unscriptural. The believer should be intelligently waiting for Christ's return, yet this does not decide whether or not he will have part in the rapture.

Much has been said about being "overcomers" in order to be "caught up" at the rapture. Taking the promises to the overcomers in Rev. 2 and 3, they say that only the best, most spiritual believers are overcomers, and these alone will be taken. But take the promise to the overcomers in Sardis. (2:11). Will any saint, however unspiritual, be "hurt of the second Death" which is identical with the "Lake of Fire" (Rev. 20:15)? Or will any believer not "eat of the tree of life" promised to the overcomers in Ephesus (2:7)? Turning to I John 5:4-5 we see that being an overcomer is simply the sign of a genuine believer.

3. We cannot hold the view of a partial rapture because of the unscriptural consequences. In I Cor. 12:12-27 and Eph. 1:22-23 Paul very clearly states that every one that is saved is a member of the body of Christ. "The Christ" (I Cor. 12:12Gr.) is Christ Jesus, the head; and the church, the body. Now, if when Christ comes for His own, only part of the saints are taken, what becomes of the unity of His body? Will Christ have an incomplete body? The church is also called the "Bride" of Christ (II Cor. 11:2-3). Will Christ present to Himself an incomplete Bride? (Eph. 5:27). In view of I Cor. 12:26 will those saints "caught up" suffer in heaven until the rest of the body is purified in the tribulation fires? How impossible all this would be, yet those are the inevitable conse-

quences if only some saints are taken and others left. *There is no cast system in the body of Christ.*

4. The view of a partial rapture is based upon a misapprehension of our standing in Christ Jesus. Every believer is perfect in Christ, not because of what he is, but because of where he is. That is his standing before God, regardless of how imperfect his experience may be. Contrast I Cor. 1:2-9 with 1:10-13. It is this standing that forms his title to participation in the rapture. The partial rapture theory would make our own "worthiness" the basis of translation, what we are instead of where we are. By grace we are saved, by grace we live in Christ, and by grace we will be taken when He comes for His own.

5. We cannot accept the view of a partial rapture because every instance in Scripture where a separation is caused by the rapture we have but a separation of the true from the false. Scripture plainly teaches the presence of mere professors in the church all through its history on earth. At the rapture the false will be disowned and the true taken.

6. Finally, we observe the way Scripture uses the fact of a full rapture as a motive to holiness. Paul, writing to the "carnal" Corinthians repeatedly stresses their standing in Christ as sanctified (I Cor. 1:2,30; 6:11), to shame their unworthy conduct. Then in chapter fifteen he also makes the resurrection to bear on the conduct of the believer. Having told them of the coming test of the believer's works (3:12-15), he now says, "We shall all be changed." Upon being translated all Christians will be brought before the Judgment Seat of Christ and judged according to their deeds. II Cor. 5:10. The Scriptural argument for a holy life is not the fear of being left behind at the rapture to pass through the Great Tribulation, but rather that we may not suffer loss when our works are judged by fire. God will not leave His saints behind to be purified by the Devil's fire during the Great Tribulation, but He will Himself purify them in His own fire, a vastly more solemn thing than being left to pass through the tribulation.

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**ARE THESE THINGS SO?** By Col. E. N. Sanctuary. Published by The World Alliance Against Jewish Aggressiveness. Pages 413. Price \$2.00.

**COLONEL SANCTUARY'S** name stands out in bold relief as one of the most prominent in the religious circles of the Nation today. His attainments as a Captain and Lieutenant Colonel in the United States army, as a scholar, orator, Fundamentalist warrior for the historic "Faith of our Fathers", and exponent of moral reforms, all serve to inspire confidence in his observations concerning the conspiracy of apostate Jewish leaders to set up a *Jewish world state* on the plan of international Communism.

The Presbyterian magazine which reflects, in a large way, the sentiment of the denomination to which Col. Sanctuary belongs, commends this book in the following language: "He (Sanctuary) has recently brought together a quantity of *startling material* in his volume, entitled '*Are These Things So?*'. The book investigates subversive propaganda. The chapter about Litvinoff is worth the price of the book."

For a title to this amazing exposure the Author goes to Acts 7:1 which records the question put by a Jewish high priest, to Stephen the first Christian Martyr. "*Are These Things So?*" asked the priest, and when Stephen's answer failed to meet with the approval of the powerful Jews of his day, they were quick to mould the wave of sentiment against him that soon resulted in his death.

This title to the Colonel's book is most appropriate because when one reads chapter after chapter and contemplates the vast array of unanswerable, documented and breath-taking facts assembled, which deal with the Jewish plot to gain world dominion—the reader is certain to throw up his hands, figuratively speaking, and ask: **ARE THESE THINGS SO?**

Martin Luther is quoted as having said: "There is not, nor has there ever been, under the sun a people more bloodthirsty and revengeful than the Jews. They oppress and annihilate the other peoples, and on this ground they consider themselves a Chosen People."

Could anything be more descriptive of the modern Communist leaders of Moscow whom Col. Sanctuary charges with having put no less than twenty million Russian Gentiles to death?

The book is dedicated to five classes of people: (1) To believers in the Constitution of the United States as opposed to the so-called New Dealers "inasmuch as some parts of the New Deal can be traced back to the French Revolution of 150 years ago."

(2) To those faithful Educators who have survived the atheistic attacks launched by deliberate planners against Education and still "educate without

producing Communists or destroying morals."

(3) To Church Schools and Theological Seminaries which do not teach "another Gospel."

(4) "To loyal, genuine Americans everywhere who need to be aroused to present dangers."

(5) To the Jew who refuses to be duped and drugged by the apostate leaders of his race and remains "uncontaminated by subversive doctrines, whose hope lies in the Country which grants him liberty not obtainable elsewhere; that Jew, who seeing the menace described herein, works against these unholy alliances."

When a subject is introduced in these pages, the Writer never stops until he treats it thoroughly and from every angle. When he makes a startling exposure, (and he makes scores of them) he buttresses it with such an accumulation of evidence and proof that there remains no loophole to doubt his accusations. He spent more than eighteen months of constant research while preparing the contents of these 413 pages.

The book opens with an Introduction, followed by a statement concerning the "Origin of the Israelite Race," then there follows sixteen illuminating chapters, Appendix A, B and C and a carefully prepared Index.

The *absolute fact* of an international plot, by super-powerful Jews, to reduce the Gentile nations to a state of slavery as has been done in Russia is established in the early part of the volume. Back in 1798 Professor John Robison, a Scotch Protestant, teacher of philosophy in Edinburgh, Scotland exposed this "conspiracy of the centuries as he observed it in his day. The title of his treatise was: "*Proofs of a Conspiracy against all Religions and Governments of Europe, carried on in the secret meetings of Free Masons, Illuminati, and Reading Societies, collected from good Authorities by the Author.*"

While Robison was doing his great work in Scotland and England, unknown to himself, a patriotic priest by the name of Abbe Barruel was making a similar investigation in France. Col. Sanctuary quotes at great length from both of these writers, as well as from Mrs. Nesta Webster, another authority on the subject. He admits, however: "It is conceded that both writers (Robison and Barruel) have been subjected to bitter attack as to the historical accuracy of the events about which they write. One might say that the attack on these men has been along the same lines as that of the Jewish writers against the authenticity of the Protocols."

Names, dates, places, documents and details are given, showing the history of the plot. It is a deliberate, **PLANNED** attack against Home, School, Government and all forms of

Religion. The finished product will be international chaos. The parentage of modern Jewish Communism is hereby explained.

In 1848 the scheme became more bold through the writings of Karl Marx, another Jew, who prepared the "First Communist Manifesto" which became the bible of modern Bolshevism. Today no attempt is made to hide its *true purpose of world revolution* as was the case in the days of Robison and Barruel, although the fact that the conspiracy is centuries old is not generally known by the public or admitted by the conspirators.

How the despoilers have gone about it to capture and pollute Gentile Education is explained in detail in chapter two. Let some one refute the logic of Col. Sanctuary's exposures in this portion of his book—if they can. *Bear in mind that he deals in no generalities or suppositions; he concerns himself only with specific details. At the risk of being a little tedious at times, he is determined that no critic shall have just cause to catch him up at any point.* The present wave of Atheism in the American School system is traced with unerring exactness to *planned sources.*

Col. Sanctuary shows that Communism did not originate with the working classes. It is the product of international Jewish finance and Jewish brains, used to stir up the masses by systematic propaganda. Once a nation can be made to exhaust itself in civil war, it is a simple matter to set up a Jewish dictatorship, and a system of secret police, as was done sixteen years ago in Russia. Col. Sanctuary is trying to help save America from just such a trick.

The chapter on Education is valuable, but the one on Religion is even more important. Adam Weishaupt, the leader of the world plot in his day, founded the secret cult of the *Illuminati*. Many quotations from Weishaupt's writings are given by the Colonel to show that they contain the rudiments of our modern so-called Modernistic thought. Weishaupt created a deliberate system of doubt which had desired effects on Christianity when he was alive and has since blossomed and borne fruit in the present apostasy through which the Christian forces of the world are passing. In other words, the present apostasy did not *just happen*.

So-called Modernism as we know it today had its beginnings in the poisoned fountains of rationalized Education. It is the opening-wedge toward Agnosticism, Atheism and Bolshevism. It is anti-God and anti-Christ in its origin. Abbe Barruel shows what it did to the Christianity of France and how it resulted in the French Rationalism that played such an important part in the French Revolution—a revolution which resulted from under-



ground planning by Jewish Communists.

If there has ever been a doubt in the mind of any student, about apostate Jewry having captured the Free Masonry of Europe for the purpose of prostituting its esoteric ideals and converting it into a subterranean tool for carrying out their trickery, that doubt can be forever dispelled by reading the chapter on "Grand Orient Termites."

Observers who have heard it reported that the Treaty of Versailles and the League of Nations were both inventions by international Jews will find information in pages 161 to 186 to sustain the contention. It is common knowledge that Woodrow Wilson's Administration was almost as much under the control of Jews as the present Roosevelt Administration, and Lloyd George is described as having acted "as a pawn for the secret forces which appeared to be manipulating him as a tool for their foul designs."

Chapter seven, entitled "Jewish Movie Termites" deals with the evident scheme of destroying the moral resistance of the American people through a criminal, Jewish controlled, Motion Picture industry.

Chapter eight explains the network of international Jewish finance and names many of the banking systems connected therewith. We read: "Senator Pettigrew foretold how the agents of the Hidden Hand are 'self-elected Dictators, who wreck and rule, and can at any moment wreck financial institutions and inaugurate panics. They are endowed with the power of government'."

Col. Sanctuary emphasizes the fact that a Jewish banking firm in Wall Street financed Trotsky and Lenin, in the overthrow of the Russian government, by depositing large sums of American dollars in a bank in Sweden for the Reds to use.

"The Termite Lit-Val-Hin-Max-Graf-Buch-Har-Stein" is the title of chapter eleven which deals with Litvinov the Prime Minister of the international Reds who was Roosevelt's recent guest at the White House. One whole chapter is devoted to a study, past and present, of this strange personage who used to be "just another jail bird", serving prison sentences for crimes committed in England, prior to the time when he and his fellow Jewish conspirators took over what was formerly the Russian Empire.

Litvinoff, because of his criminal record, is a man of many aliases. At different times during his career of crime he has traveled under the following names: Litvinoff, Vallach, Hinoch, Graf, Buchmann, Harrison and Finkelstein.

When representative Christian leaders like Col. Sanctuary, A. C. Gaebele, Arthur I. Brown, Louis R. Patmont, Hugh W. White, Oswald J. Smith, Elizabeth Knauss, and many, many others, feel the need of calling attention to these things in an attempt to save the North American continent from the ravages of Jewish Bolshevism, one may rest assured that a great awakening is already on the way.

"Are These Things So?" should be in the library of every preacher, evangelist, laymen and Christian worker who is not "asleep at the switch." This volume may well be called a text-book for **THE NEW AWAKENING.**

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## ANTICHRIST.

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our country we loved him, Hebrews and Arabs jointly.

"It is no wonder, therefore, that even here in the East sundry nations are raising their eyes to you.

"But you accomplished greater achievements than these.

"The Vatican City is obliged to you for its wonderful renaissance, although in so minature a form.

"Germany is obliged to you for being again a great Power.

"Austria is obliged to you for its national rescue under the regime of Dollfuss.

"Western Europe is obliged to you for its temporal peace, due to this Four Pact, of which you are its creator.

"As Caesar of yore you now are; you are the man of *Pax Romana*.

"And who knows if not this renewed Rome, with the charm of your wonderful acts, once again an historical salvation will come to all the soring and expecting universe?

"And if so, why should not you go one step further, the greatest perhaps in all our political steps, to try to bring understanding as well as fraternity between the two elements who reside in Palestine.

"There are fourteen years in which Arabs and Jews are quarrelling one with the other without logic or aim.

"These fourteen years the Mandatory

Power does not know how to fulfill the duty it undertook before all the nations—as illustrated by the bloody events in 1929 and by the disturbances in Jaffa this very year.

"A man must be found in which all parties will see a just intermediary and impartial judge in the quarrels which clash them always one to the other.

"And you are, according to my opinion, this man in the world today.

"Ecce Homo! ('This is the man!')

"As yet before Hitler ascended the rule I despatched a letter to Marshal Pilsudsky and to Prof. Koza, the Rumanian, and proposed to them to convene together in Berlin, in order to solve the Jewish problem, which occupies them since long.

"This letter remained only a Call in the Desert.

"Stand up, therefore, you Mussolini, and call to all the combatants to convene in your beautiful capital a gathering in the nature of a new Berlin Congress, in which will participate Germans, Russians, Polish and Rumanians, in whose countries the Jewish problem is very grave, and also Jews and Arabs, English, French, Spanish and all concerned in the problems of the Near East.

"And at this Congress your words will be decisive.

"Cavour said that the man who will solve the Catholic problem in Italy will

be the greatest of the world's statesmen, even greater than Napoleon, from Caesar, and from Alexander Macedonian.

"And I, the smallest of the Jewish millions, dare to declare that if you will solve the problems of Judea and the Arab, no greater than you will ever be, even in the coming generations.

"Ancient Rome, which issued to the help of the ancient Maccabees, ruined Zion by the fault of a short-sighted King.

"Make right, you Mussolini, the fault of Titus, and thus shall his Bow, which stands today in the wonderful Forum, be a glory to the heroes of our past, a symbol of the bettering of the Jew-

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## Omaha Bible Institute

Fourteen years ago, Rev. W. H. Jordan founded the Omaha Bible Institute of Omaha, Nebraska.

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Therefore we are again extending our invitation to all the faithful for participation in this blessed Ministry by your prayers and gifts, and doing so we quote a translation of a letter recently received from Russia, which bears a great testimony to the value and necessity of your help through the *R. I. R. M.*

Russia, April 10, 1934: "Your letter and remittance of forty dollars, which you sent for the needy saints, received and divided among the 23 starving families, members of our assembly. Uniting in Spirit of God, with one accord we praise the Lord and thank you for this help which was sent by the Lord through your hands.

"Your help came just before the Resurrection Day (Easter) and it is beyond our ability to express to you all the joy that is in the hearts of His children, because of the fact that God heard our prayers and raised

those that are mindful concerning His suffering children in Russia. With one accord again we thank you all for your care of us. When we poor Russian Christian peasants received your help every one that learned about it, even our own brethren, were amazed and exclaimed:

"What, you received such a great help from America?"

"Let it be known to you that conditions and existence in our country are miserable. In 1933 such conditions existed that it is impossible to describe and because of this we were in constant danger. The starvation spread to such an extent that the people ate everything possible to eat. They ate dogs, cats, stole horses from each other and ate them, and some fathers and mothers even ate their children. . . .

"Your help greatly sustained us and again we thank you all and may the Lord reward you manyfold for your labors and care for us. Please remember us in the future."

*Dear Readers of The Defender:* Think about the awful condition described in this letter. The \$40.00 referred to was divided among the 23 starving families. Please keep in mind that there are hundreds of such cases in Russia, who are patiently waiting for relief. The Editor of *The Defender* has approved of this advertisement because he knows that it is now possible for us to get funds to suffering Christians in Russia. Please listen to their pathetic cry, and as the Lord may lead you, send in your offering to the

"Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

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## ANTICHRIST.

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ish nation on his land, by our intermediacy.

**"ITTAMAR BEN-AVI"**

The importance of this appeal multiplies, when it is linked up with Daniel 10:26, a verse which introduces an age-end character known among students of prophecy as the "Roman Prince."

Notice Daniel's language: "*The people of the prince that shall come shall destroy the city and the sanctuary.*" Who destroyed Jerusalem and the temple? — Titus the Roman, **ROMAN**. In the end-time, says Daniel, a prince of the same "people", the same nationality, (a Roman) shall revive the old Roman Empire and "confirm the covenant" for seven years, thereby giving the Jews control of the Holy Land. Mussolini is a Roman, his supreme ambition is to resurrect the Roman Empire; he may be Daniel's "Prince" who will pave the way for the last Dictator of the world — the apostate Jewish Messiah.

**Bastard Children**

For its future, Communism is obliged to look toward the East, the Orient, Fascism, on the other hand has its face turned West.

The spirit of dictatorship exists throughout Europe. It is a revival of the old Roman system — the principle of the Caesars. There are already several dictators in Europe. And Fascism is spreading at a terrific pace just now in both France and England.

Communism is the Antichrist evil what Satan is using to pry all governments loose at their foundations. Wherever Bolshevism succeeds in tearing down a government, as for instance in Italy, political chaos results which seals the doom of democracy in that particular country. Dictatorship results and if it is not Red, it will be some other color.

Italy turned Black instead of Red, although Mussolini was originally a Communist. Germany turned Brown.

Thus we see that Communism is becoming the parent of a family of bastard children which includes Fascism and Hitlerism. It was Communism that made the rise of Hitler inevitable in order to keep Germany from going Red. Hitlerism is therefore the illegitimate child of Bolshevism.

Prophetic students will do well to watch the catastrophic developments now taking place among the dictatorships of Europe. Because ten "uncrowned kings" (dictators) are certain to come up in the territory that was ruled originally by the Caesars, the Roman Empire. These rulers are represented by the ten toes on the feet of Daniel's image.

As Daniel unfolds the vision of the closing time of this age, he reveals that there rises up amongst the ten dictators, a "little horn" who subduces three of the ten so completely that the separate identity of their kingdoms is destroyed. Seven of the ten dictators will remain, and the "little horn", making a total of eight. This "little horn" is generally regarded as being the coming Antichrist.

Daniel 7:8, "I considered the horns, and, behold, there came up among

them another little horn, before whom there were three of the first horns plucked up by the roots; and, behold, in this horn were eyes like the eyes of man, and a mouth speaking great things."

**A Modern "King of the Jews"**

There exists, in many languages, a vast accumulation of documentary evidence to establish the existence of an age-old plot, reaching back many centuries, providing for the destruction of all Gentile governments so that a Jewish World State can be set up. With great vehemence, individual Jews here and there have denied that such a conspiracy exists, but the international program of Jewish Communism is so obvious, the fulfillment of the scheme disclosed in The Protocols is so self-evident, the existence of so many world-wide organizations within Jewry is so well known, and the prophecies are so explicit, that John recognized its presence in his day and wrote of it in these words: "This is that spirit of Antichrist, whereof ye have heard that it should come; and even now already is it in the world."

The Jewish people confused the Old Testament prophecies about the second coming of Christ with those that related to His first coming. Had Jesus started a riot and announced He was going to drive Caesar from the Roman throne, they would have followed Him. They were expecting temporal power and world dominion. They saw only second coming prophecies that related to Kingship; they failed to understand those which related to Messiah's suffering. And, no use to deny it, the yearning for earthly power still smolders in the soul of Jewry, there can be little doubt but what a universal Jewish dictatorship will be ultimately established, over which the apostate Messiah, the modern "King of the Jews" will reign.

If there lingers a bit of doubt in the mind of any sincere student of prophecy about the existence of this conspiracy, he needs only to read Col. E. N. Sanctuary's late book "Are These Things So?"

Indeed, back of this international Jewish network, which I predict in the near future will not even be denied by the wizards of finance who will have gained such power that they will function in the open,—behind all of this will be a form of Satanic possession which has existed straight through the centuries. This dream will be realized when their apostate leaders "put over" their program and unveil Antichrist.

Space, this month, forbids a discussion of a powerful Jewish figure who is already known as the "King of the Jews." He is a mysterious character by the name of Asher Ginzberg, also called, *Achad Ha-am*, and I have it on good authority that this strange, mysterious person is the principal writer of The Protocols.

Evidence drives one to the conclusion that The Protocols and the coming Antichrist dictatorship are intimately related. If Ginzberg is the true author of The Protocols, and since he is known as the "King of the Jews", and since I have recently come into a great deal of first hand information concerning him, his weird and secret personality will make an interesting subject for discussion at a later time.

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## International Sunday School Lesson Comments For August and First Sunday of September

By Rev. Paul S. Wight, Pastor First Christian Church, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.

### August Twelfth Amos Pleads For Justice

Amos 6:1-15

**VERSE 4**—It is as true today as it was then, that to seek Jehovah is the way of life, to forsake Him is the way of death. A command and a promise. Obey the command and receive the wonderful promise "LIFE."

To seek the Lord is to turn from sin, our own ways, our own thoughts, and turn to the LORD with obedience and trust. He is abundantly able and willing to pardon (Isa. 55:7).

**V. 5**—These places had sacred memories attached to them. The new false worship and "new theology", always seeks for itself points of contact with the old God-given worship and theology. It can thus more easily beguile the sincere but unwary soul.

**V. 8**—God's power manifested in four ways: (1) *He made the stars.* How distant and how stupendous are the stars; (2) *He turneth the shadow of death (the deepest darkness) into the morning with its sunshine and gladness* (Ps. 30:5). For how many of us has He done this very thing. (3) *"He maketh the day dark with night."* He has done this literally again and again. In Bible times (Ex. 10:21-23) and in modern times, e.g., in connection with the volcanic disturbances on the Island of Martinique in the West Indies where 40,000 lives are reported to have been destroyed after the natives in a spasm of blasphemy had crucified a pig in mockery of the shed blood of Calvary. (4) *He "culleth for the waters of the sea, and poureth them out upon the face of the earth."* This is not only a beautifully poetic description of rain, but also a profoundly scientific one. Happy is he who has such a God upon his side!

**V. 10**—It takes an unusually wise man to love the one who rebukes him. It is a poor compliment to a preacher to have the praise of the wicked (Lk. 6:26).

**V. 12**—There is not a sin we commit by day or night but God knows all about it. He knows its full extent (Heb. 4:13).

**V. 13**—"An evil time." All times are evil until the King whom God has appointed shall come (Eph. 5:16). But while times are evil, the individual may be good (v. 14-15). True goodness may be summed up into two words: "Hate the evil, Love the good" (Rom. 12:9). This is the path of blessedness (Heb. 1:9).

### August Nineteenth Amos Denounces Self-Indulgence

Amos 6:1-7, 11-14

**A MESSAGE** for our day. The state of Israel here depicted and de-

nounced is, largely, the state of society and the Church that exists today. See what lies ahead for us unless we repent!

Is the average church member deeply concerned about the widespread corruption of doctrine, the vast number of unsaved in our land, and the awful darkness hanging over the millions in heathen lands? Many are sitting at ease in Zion, as though following Christ were some sort of a perpetual vacation. God has not called us into His service that we may enjoy ourselves, but to suffer for His name's sake (2 Tim. 2:12; Rom. 8:17; Phil. 1:29). We are not called to self-indulgence but self-sacrifice.

There is indeed an ease and freedom from anxiety and fret that it is right for us to enjoy (Phil. 4:6,7 R.V., 1 Pet. 5:7) but not the ease that comes from being indifferent to the honor of God in this godless world and unburdened about the awful and imminent peril of men out of Christ.

The rulers and people were at ease because they could point to the mountain and its fortifications and say: "In these we trust." But nation after nation has arisen to power and splendor and seemed to be destined to be an eternal empire; but where are Assyria, Babylon, Persia, Greece and Rome today?

The marginal rendering of "Stretch themselves upon their couches", v. 4 (abound with superfluities) is very suggestive and certainly describes the state of the average Christian today (Lk. 16:19, 25). There can be no doubt as to how God regards this manner of living (Isa. 5:11, 12; 22:12,13; Rom. 13:13, 14; Jas. 5:5). How much we need to give heed to Christ's solemn words on this subject (Lk. 21:34,35).

### August Twenty-sixth Hosea Preaches God's Love

Hos. 14:1-9

**GOD'S** people are ever wandering from Him, and He is forever calling them back. How lamentably the professing Church has wandered from God! On every hand, covetousness which is idolatry (Col. 3:5) abounds, as do other forms of idolatry—the worship of fashion, of pleasure, of learning, of wealth, of self. Then there are those "whose god is their belly" (Phil. 3:19), as is evident from the all-pervasive "church gatherings," to say nothing of the reprehensible manner of private living of many who profess to be His followers. There are also many departures from the doctrine of the Lord to "another gospel." Surely the cry needs to be heard today, as then, "Return unto the Lord thy God."

**V. 1**—Nothing is more sure, or a more firmly established, well-attested fact, than that *the one who follows iniquity falls by it.* Never in all the history of the world has there been one

sin that *PAID.* Every sin is a colossal blunder. Every sin is a plunge downward.

**V. 2**—To return unto the Lord, take "words"—words of confession (1 Jn. 1:9), but words of confession we *MUST* bring. He will receive any who come this way, but, mark this well,—He will not receive any one who comes in any other way (Lk. 18:10-14).

The last part of v. 2 is a prayer for pardon for past misdoing. The guilt and stain of sin must first be dealt with; then, and then only, are we in a position to be delivered from the power and dominion of present sin.

**V. 4**—What a gracious, enheartening promise! What heavenly music it is to the backslider's ear! How many a backslider have I seen come back to God in response to these gracious, tender words!

**V. 5-7.** Some of the fairest and most fragrant lives, are those who were once deeply mired in sin, but who now indeed "blossom as the lily" (R.V.). The lily originates in the slime of the bottom of the pool but when it reaches the surface it is a thing of beauty. Some of the strongest lives today are those who once were farthest from God, but who now "cast forth their roots as Lebanon." And their "branches spread," too, so that underneath many find shelter. There is also fragrance in these redeemed lives, the scent of which is "as the wine of Lebanon." There is a perennial freshness in them "like the green fir tree," and fruit from the hand of God. We must not forget that the primary reference here is to repentant Israel. A lovely picture of what Israel is to become in that glad coming day when the nation is brought to repentance as one man (Zech. 3:14-20).

### September Second Micah Champions The Oppressed

Mic. 6:1-12

**CHAPTER 2:1-3.** A picture of not only the greedy land-grabber of Micah's day but also of a hungry horde of monopolists and money-mad covetors of other men's lands, and mines, and oil wells, and business enterprises of our own day. Many pushing business men lie awake nights to devise methods to gather to themselves what really belongs to other people, "they devise iniquity upon their beds." And what they plan at night, while honest men sleep, "they practice when the morning is light."

Ill-gotten millions are a great curse to society, but they are a bigger curse to the millionaire and his family than to any one else. God says, and history proves it, "against this family do I devise an evil from which ye shall not remove your necks." Riches cannot buy happiness nor wealth a contented heart.

"A man's life," says Jesus (Lk. 12:15) "consisteth not in the abundance of things which he possesseth." And when wealth becomes an instrument of tyranny, the final punishment falls, not upon the oppressed, but upon the oppressor.

6:1—It would be an immeasurable blessing if all present-day preachers

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ARMAGEDDON.

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heard the number of them."

With Satanic intuition, Antichrist learns that Jesus Christ is soon to return to the earth-plane of this planet in the same manner that He went away. "And he opened his mouth in blasphemy against God, to blaspheme his name, and his tabernacle, and them that dwell in heaven."

Everything is quickly made ready. Preparations for the impending conflict go forward at feverish speed. Death-rays are turned toward the heavens, instruments of destruction capable of reaching beyond the atmospheric regions and into the stratosphere are made ready. The war for which Antichrist has been preparing for years is about to be fought. A disobedient humanity is preparing to "welcome" the Son of God.

In his heart, the Antichrist is saying what his father, Satan, said: "I WILL."

"I will destroy Jesus Christ," he boasts "and then I will become the permanent god, the owner of this planet, the possessor of the human family."

There is breathless silence. Everyone is watching intently for the first streaks of light in yonder heavens indicating the approach of Jesus Christ and His angels.

They do not have long to wait. "And then shall appear the SIGN of the Son of Man in heaven: and then shall the tribes of the earth mourn, and they shall see the Son of Man coming in the clouds of heaven with power and great glory."

The Antichrist gives the signal. There is an instant terrific dazzling, blinding flash. Every conceivable Satanic invention is turned loose from the earth below to attack those who are descending from above. A mighty conflagration! An awful roar! Terrible shrieks! Unspeakable agonies!

Coming from the direction of the Antichrist there is an ear-splitting sound of pain like the angry roar of a million wounded beasts. Yes, Christ and Antichrist have at last come to grips.

### The King of Kings

The Beast's ability to create "fire" in the atmospheric regions doubtless refers to his use of the death-rays with which he will think to paralyze the Christ.

But alas! he will learn what a fool he has made of himself!

"He that sitteth in the heavens shall laugh." Jesus possesses a more powerful death-ray than anything the Beast will ever invent.

"And out of his mouth goeth a sharp sword, that with it he should smite the nations: and he shall rule them with a rod of iron: and he treadeth the winepress of the fierceness and wrath of Almighty God. And he hath on his vesture and on his thigh a name written, KING OF KINGS AND LORD OF LORDS."

In that day, Satan's power as the god of this world will be broken, and the government of the Son of God will replace the governments of men.

"And the Beast was taken, and with him the False Prophet and these both were cast into the lake of fire."

## MIRACLES

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AS THE BIBLE is true, and its inspiration is true, so miracles must be true, for the Bible records a large number of them. And there is every reason for receiving and believing these, and no good reason for rejecting them. Science has sometimes said that miracles are untrue, and yet they cannot prove them not true. If we reject God, of course miracles are untrue, for no man ever worked one by his own power. *Only atheists can consistently deny miracles.* Modernists who deny the supernatural are therefore in bad company.

Many have been troubled with the miracles of the Bible; they find it hard to believe the Book and its Divine religion, Christianity, because of them. But I cannot see why any careful thinker should stumble over miracles. Perhaps we have not looked at them in the right way. Again, we must do some thinking! There are miracles of nature around us all the time, and we find no fault with them, because we see them so often that we are accustomed to them, grass, flowers, animals, all life. These are all standing miracles. Anything we cannot understand and cannot do, is a miracle to us. One hundred years ago if any one had told us we could talk with our friends hundreds of miles away, and even distinguish their voices, we would have said: "Impossible! that would be a miracle!" Now any one can do that very thing, and we don't call it a miracle. Then, we did not understand the laws that made such a thing possible, and now we do.

To a little child, a watch would be a miracle. The phonograph would be a great miracle to one who had never heard of such a thing. The Hottentot when told that men in some parts of the world could walk across a lake or river would not believe it—he had never seen ice! Such an act was a miracle to him. All the miracles of the Bible, and there are many real ones to us, are all provided for in God's plan, are all according to laws very well known to Him, but quite unknown to us. Why should we be like the child or the Hottentot and say we will not believe them? Because I cannot do those things, shall I say God could not, or could not have given men the power to do them? What a small idea we must have of God!

My reason, really tells me, that I should expect God to do things beyond my power, or He would not be God at all: I would not know He is God. The miracles of the Bible are proofs of His power, and that He is God. If there were no miracles there, people would say louder than ever that the Bible is only a human book. So while some stumble over the miracles in the Bible, more would if there were none. God has given us the best Book that it is possible for us to appropriate, therefore let us accept it, and the blessings it reveals will be ours for time and eternity.

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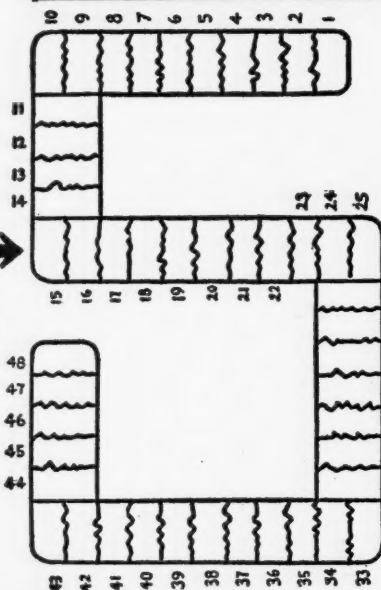
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